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GENERAL

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ —

Letter No. 3044, dated 19th November 1900, from the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, submitting for orders an application for pension on behalf of Rama Rao, late Peishkar in the Imperial Service Regiment, received from the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops.

No. 8611-12—P. & A. 855, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Rama Rao has put in a total service of 30 years 0 month and 29 days of which 13 years 10 months and 25 days were as a Sowar and 16 years 2 months and 4 days as a Peishkar, which is a Civil appointment attached to the Regiment, the former being regarded as "inferior" and the latter as "superior." The Chief Commandant recommends him for a superior pension, treating the whole period of Rama Rao's service as "superior." But the Comptroller is of opinion that as neither the Rules prescribed for the Sowar Force nor those laid down for the Civil employees in the Mysore Service Regulations provide for a case of the kind in question, the applicant's case should be dealt with in accordance with the analogy of an employee in the Civil Department, a portion of whose service was "inferior" and a portion "superior" as provided in Article 258 of the Mysore Service Regulations. Government concur in that opinion and direct that Rama Rao's case be reported on accordingly.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, returning the pension application.
The Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops.

No. 8802-40—MIS. 1914, DATED BANGALORE, 10TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER—Information having been received by Government that..... was in the habit of communicating to newspapers the contents of official papers which passed through his hands in his official capacity, his explanation was called for in the matter. He admitted having written occasional paragraphs to the *Daily Post*, but explained that they contained nothing confidential or hostile to Government, and therefore begged that, taking his intentions into consideration, his action might be pardoned.

2. Government, while regretting they could not accept such an explanation, which ignored the strict prohibition which exists against public servants communicating to the Press any papers except those the publication of which may be duly authorised by Government, deem it unnecessary to comment upon the great impropriety of such a proceeding, or upon the mischievous consequences which might result from it. They feel compelled to convey a strict warning against the commission of breaches of confidence of the kind under advertence, by its officers on pain of dismissal from the service.

3. In the present instance, the Government do not think it necessary to inflict this extreme punishment, having regard to the fact that the officer concerned is fast approaching the period of his retirement from service.

4. The foregoing remarks will be circulated to all Heads of Departments, for their information and for communication to all officials subordinate to them, in order that hereafter no public servant may, from inadvertence or otherwise, fall into the error which has formed the subject of these Proceedings.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—All Heads of Departments.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

No. 9108-47—MIS. 1977, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER—The Government desire to draw the attention of Deputy Commissioners of districts in particular, and of all Heads of offices whose subordinates have already been lent for Census work, to Government Notification No. 6193, dated 2nd November last, and to impress upon them the necessity for the most energetic conduct and supervision of Census work and of the most cordial co-operation of all concerned. As the Census has to be taken on one and the same night throughout the State, it is essential that all the requisite arrangements should be made efficiently and completely beforehand in order to ensure the accuracy of the final enumeration, to which special importance attaches on the present occasion.

2. All District, Divisional and Taluk Officers should make constant tours through their respective charges between now and the close of February next, visiting as many places as possible, vivifying the slothful, encouraging the active, and instructing the less informed of Supervisors and enumerators. They should personally examine the preliminary record, the preparation of which has already been started, and do all that is needed to make the Census agency thoroughly efficient and lively. Circle Supervisors should likewise be spurred to make constant rounds in their respective Circles for the same purpose.

3. In this work generally, and similar work particularly at the final enumeration on the night of the 1st of March, when it is important that no person shall be omitted, nor any one reckoned twice, Heads of all offices (other than Plague, Medical and Press) will be good enough to place at the disposal of Census Charge Superintendents for employment during intervals of business in their respective near neighbourhoods, as many as possible of the other officials who could not be spared earlier or for heavier Census work without prejudice to their legitimate duties, and the Chief Court will be requested to kindly authorise Judges and Munsiffs subordinate to them to co-operate in the same way.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Heads of Departments concerned.

READ AGAIN—

Government Proceedings No. 7742—M. F. 3-96 of the 5th December 1900.

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2. As regards "the powers of General Control" referred to in para 34 of the Stamp Rules, the Comptroller is informed that the General Control required is what is contemplated by the Rules contained in the Civil Account Code, Apppendix K., pp. 263 *et seq.* The Comptroller, in addition to the audit, &c., specified in the Rules, shall arrange for a periodical inspection and verification of the stock of stamps, &c., in the Central Depot and Stamp Manufactory. It is difficult to lay down any specific Rules in detail.

3. As regards the question whether the Superintendent and an Assistant Superintendent of Stamps cannot communicate with Government direct, the Government consider that they cannot do so in matters of general importance.

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No. 9221-23—Mis. 1992, dated Bangalore, 18th January 1901.

Order thereon—In communicating paras 2 and 3 of the Proceedings read above to the Superintendent of Stamps and the Officer in charge of Government Stamp Manufacture, for information, they are hereby requested to submit through the Comptroller any correspondence of importance affecting the Stamp Revenue or the construction of the Rules issued with Proceedings No. 6577-80—Mis. 1459, dated 25th November 1898, the system of accounts to be kept thereunder and also the periodical returns, including annual reports. In all other matters, the said officers may, as heretofore, correspond direct with the Secretary to Government, General Department.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Superintendent of Stamps.
The Officer in charge of Stamp Manufacture.

Read—

Letter No. 5914, dated 21st November 1899, from the Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, forwarding for disposal in the General Department, letter No. 1204, dated 18th March 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, requesting sanction to the entertainment of a gardener on Rs. 6 and a sweeper on Rs. 5 per mensem for the Government bungalow occupied by him at Chikmagalur.

No. 9357-66—Mis. 2047, dated Bangalore, 24th January 1901.

Order thereon—In support of the application made in the above, the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur district quotes as a precedent the Proceedings of Government No. 1002-3--43, dated the 13th May 1899, sanctioning a gardener and a sweeper for the Government bungalow occupied by the Deputy Commissioner at Shimoga. That order, it is observed, was not correct, it having been passed on the analogy of Proceedings Camp No. 802-3, dated 25th June 1888, which sanctioned two gardeners on Rs. 5 each per mensem for the Government House (known as Dobbs' Bungalow) at Tumkur, which, however, was not a building rented by Government for the Deputy Commissioner's occupation but one reserved for His Highness the Maharaja. The correct principle is that contained in Public Works Secretary's Circular No. 25, dated 2nd April 1894, in which it was pointed out that the provision of mats and blinds, the employment of a gardener, &c., applied to "official residences" referred to in para 3 of Government Proceedings, Public Works, No. 349-84—45-80, dated 25th January 1894, and not to Government buildings rented to officers at the very moderate rate of three per cent of their salaries. Under these circumstances, the application of the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur district for a gardener and a sweeper for the house occupied by him, cannot be complied with.

2. The Deputy Commissioners of the districts other than Kadur are requested to report whether they or any other officers in their districts use Government buildings for their residence, what rent they pay to Government, and what Government establishment, if any, is attached to such buildings and on what authority.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Chief Engineer and Secretary, Public Works Department.

READ—

Letter No. 739, dated 7th January 1901, from the Census Superintendent in Mysore submitting his Official Memorandum No. 693, dated 2nd January 1901, enclosing a tabular statement showing briefly the progress of Census work in the several taluks and sub-taluks in the State up to the 31st December 1900, and indicating the progress made, by symbols as shown below :—

A.	...	...	...	Completed.
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D.	...	...	...	Heavy arrear.
E.	...	...	...	Great neglect.

No. 9342-50—MIS. 2046-54, DATED BANGALORE, 23RD JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The progress reported is, on the whole, satisfactory.

2. The Deputy Commissioners of districts to whom copies of the Census Superintendent's memorandum have been already sent by that officer, are requested to warn the officers against whom the symbols C & D are entered, to clear the arrears as expeditiously as possible. Those against whom E is entered (in the districts of Mysore, Hassan and Shimoga) have incurred the displeasure of Government for their great neglect which has been brought to notice. The date for the taking of the Census being close at hand, Deputy Commissioners should give their personal attention to all shortcomings, and see them remedied in due time.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Census Superintendent in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

READ THE FOLLOWING PAPERS—

Letter No. 3664-153, dated 14th December 1899, from the Excise Commissioner, soliciting sanction to the supply of warm clothing for the menial servants of his office.

(2). Letter No. 142—J., dated 14th August 1899, from the Inspector General of Prisons, submitting an estimate for Rs. 52-6-9 for warm clothing for his peons; and adding that they received such clothing when they were working formerly in the Chief Court.

(3). Letter No. 28, dated 14th August 1899, from the Officer in charge, Government Stamp Manufacture, submitting an estimate for Rs. 70-8-0 for white clothing and another for Rs. 99-12-0 for warm clothing.

(4). Letter No. 59, dated 5th December 1899, from the Inspector of Agricultural Banks, soliciting the issue of warm clothing for three servants who accompany him in his tours.

(5). Letter No. 208, dated 30th November 1900, from the Superintendent of Stationery, asking for warm clothing for the menials of his office.

(6). Letter No. 579, dated 20th December 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore district, representing that under the orders of the Chief Court, dress has been given to the peons of the District Court, Mysore; and asking for a similar concession to the men of his office also.

No. 9614-19—MIS. F. 149-92, DATED BANGALORE, 31ST JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Government are unable to sanction the supply of clothing of any kind to menial establishments which have not hitherto been enjoying the privilege. The authority under which the peons of the Senior Surgeon are being supplied with warm clothing should be reported.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Excise Commissioner in Mysore.
The Inspector General of Prisons.
The Officer in charge of Government Stamp Manufacture.
The Inspector of Agricultural Banks.
The Superintendent of Government Stationery.
The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.

Memo No. 9620-26—Mis. F. 149-92, dated 31st January 1901.

Copy to the Deputy Commissioners of other Districts and Heads of Departments, for information.

Exd.—C.V.

READ—

Letter No. 542—Muz. F. 192, dated the 20th November 1897, from the Muzrai Secretary, transferring for disposal certain files relating to the Sarjapur Jahgir stipends, and stating that as the latter are of the nature of political pensions and not Muzrai grants, they might be dealt with in the General Department.

(2) Government Proceedings P. P. No. 2-4, dated 13—14th July 1898, transferring the payment of the Jahgir stipends of Mohdin Khan, Mohdin Bi and Khadar Bi from the Anekal to the Mysore Taluk Treasury.

(3) Letter No. 94, dated 18th January 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore district, soliciting instructions as to the source from which the stipends of the said stipendiaries are to be paid.

(4) Correspondence ending with the Muzrai Secretary's No. 780—Muz. F.9-92 dated 17th January 1901, suggesting that in view to secure uniformity of procedure and to prevent confusion in records, fresh stipend orders may be issued under the signature of the Secretary to Government in the General Department.

(5) Petitions from Mohdin Khan and Mohdin Bi.

No. P. P. 141-43, DATED BANGALORE, 30TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The Sarjapur Jahgir allowances having been recorded by the Inam Department in the register of ready money allowances, were being dealt with in the Muzrai Department till 1897, when the Muzrai Secretary transferred them to the General Department as forming part of political pensions. The stipends, however, continued to be paid under Muzrai stipend orders. Doubts having arisen in the case of the individuals whose stipends had been recently transferred from the Anekal to the Mysore taluk, as to the propriety of their stipends being paid from the fixed Muzrai allowances allotted to the Mysore taluk, the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore district, applied to Government for instructions.

2. Under these circumstances Government direct that the Sarjapur Jahgir stipends be treated, with effect from 1st December 1897, as forming part of political pensions, such as Pallegar, State and Mutfakhat pensions, and be paid from the same source, fresh stipend orders being issued, as suggested by the Muzrai Secretary, under the signature of the Secretary to Government, General Department.

3. The Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore and Mysore districts are accordingly requested to obtain the stipend orders of such of Sarjapur Jahgir stipendiaries as receive their allowances in their districts and submit the same to this office for renewal.

4. The stipend orders of Mohdin Khan and Mohdin Bi, which were received in this office with the Mysore Deputy Commissioner's letter No. 79, dated 16th November 1900, are renewed and forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, for delivery to them adding to the stipends they were getting the marginally noted amounts, granted to them under Government Order P. P. No. 63—70, dated 16th October 1900, in the distribution of the Jahgir allowances enjoyed by the late Khader Bi of the same family.

Rs. 0-5-6 a month to Mohdin Khan.
Rs. 4-9-6 a month to Mohdin Bi.

5. The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore district, is requested to arrange for the early payment of the allowances now held in abeyance of Mohdin Khan and Mohdin Bi, including the arrears up to date, and report the same to this office.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore and Mysore Districts.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Memo P. P. No. 144, dated 30 January 1901.

Copy to the Muzrai Secretary for information.

Endorsements to the petitioners.

Exd.—C.V.

GENERAL (PLAGUE)

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,

No. Pg. 822. *Dated Bangalore, 7th January 1901.*

NOTIFICATION.

The following Notification No. 1181 P, dated the 14th December 1900, issued by the Government of Madras, is re-published for general information.:—

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Kalugumalai village, in the Ottapidaram taluk of the Tinnevelly district, if persons from the Salem district, the Mysore State and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Thaipusam festival and cattle fair:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival or fair from the 18th January to the 16th February 1901, both days inclusive, of persons from the places mentioned above, and directs that between the said dates no tickets to travel by railway shall be issued within the Salem district to the Railway Stations of Kalligudi, Virudupatti, Tulukapatti, Satur, Koilpatti and Kumarapuram on the South Indian Railway to any person intending or believed to be intending to attend the festival or fair.

All persons proceeding to the festival or fair in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 823, dated 7th January 1901.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 826, dated Bangalore, 9th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 1192, dated the 18th December 1900, issued by the Government of Madras, is re-published for general information:—

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Kotaramba Desam in the Chirakkal taluk of the Malabar district, if the usual cattle fair is allowed to be held at that place next year and persons from the Mysore State, the Salem district and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble thereat:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the holding of the said cattle fair next year and directs that no person from the Mysore State, the Salem district, or other plague-infected parts shall visit that place from the 20th January to the 15th February 1901, both days inclusive.

All persons proceeding to Kotaramba in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 827.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 829-33, DATED BANGALORE, 11TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER—Government are pleased to direct that sites in the New Town at the Kolar Gold Fields be allotted by the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, in consultation with the Sanitary Department; and that prices at the following rates be recovered from the purchasers. In the case of those unable to pay the purchase money at once they will be allowed to do so in six monthly instalments commencing from the date on which the certificate is granted. In default of payment within the time allowed of any one instalment, the whole amount due without reference to future instalments will be recovered as a revenue demand :—

One acre sites at Rs. 500.
Half acre sites at Rs. 300.
Mr. Mitchell 3 sites at Rs. 200 per acre.
Mr. Byanna 4 sites at Rs. 300 per acre.
House sites at Rs. 20 each.
Bazaar sites at Rs. 33 each.

2. The Central Block or Sorekaipet cooly lines to be thoroughly cleaned before cooly huts are allowed to spring up and a ground rent of two annas per cooly hut 15′ × 30′ to be levied per annum to be collected by the Public Works Department and credited to Provincial Revenue.

3. Work to the extent of anticipated realizations from sale of sites as under will be put in hand in connection with the laying out of the New Town :—

	Rs.
8 one acre sites at Rs. 500 each	4,000
30 half acre sites at Rs. 300 each	9,000
3 sites, one acre each, sold to Mr. Mitchell at Rs 200 per site	600
4 one acre sites allotted to Mr. Byanna by the Plague Commissioner at Rs. 300 each.	1,200
200 house sites at Rs. 20 each	4,000
100 bazaar sites at Rs. 33 each	3,300
Total ...	22,100

(Not Rs. 21,500 as stated in the Superintending Engineer's No. 2662—1106, dated 23rd October 1900).

The Comptroller will be requested to place at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer, Sanitary Works, the sum of Rs. 21,500 immediately required for the work, by way of advance, subject to adjustment from the sale proceeds of sites.

A monthly statement of recoveries made from purchasers of the sites should be sent by the Deputy Commissioner for the information of Government.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Plague Commissioner in Mysore.
The Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Superintending Engineer, Sanitary Works Department.
The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 12th January 1901.

No. Pg. 834.

NOTIFICATIONS.

In exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 2, Sub-Section 1, of the Epidemic Diseases Regulation No. II of 1897, the Government of Mysore

are pleased to prohibit persons from infected areas from attending the undermentioned jatras at the places and on the dates specified against each :—

Name of Jatra.	Where held.	Taluk.	Date.	
			From	To
HASSAN DISTRICT.				
1. Venkataramanaswami car festival.	Mavinakere ...	Hole-Narsipur ...	1st Feb. 1901 ...	4th Feb. 1901.
2. Pushpagiri Mallikarjuna car festival.	Siddapur, Halebid hobli.	Belur	26th Feb. 1901 ...	1st March 1901.
3. Oodasalammadevara Jatra.	Jodi Hariharpur ...	Hole-Narsipur ...	3rd March 1901 ...	6th do.
4. Narasimhadevara car festival.	Hole-Narsipur ...	Do ...	Do ...	7th do.
5. Sankareswaraswami car festival.	Garadanagore ...	Arsikere ...	28th March 1901 ...	7th April 1901.
6. Sri Channakesavaswami car festival.	Belur ...	Belur ...	29th do ...	4th do.
7. Lakshminarasimhaswami car festival.	Nuggihalli ...	Channarayapatna ...	31st do ..	Do.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 835.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 836, dated Bangalore, 12th January 1901.

The following communication No. 035—P., dated the 10th December 1900, from the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bombay, General Department, (Plague) to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, is re-published for general information :—

As requested in Home Department, Sanitary, letter No. 2216, dated the 8th September 1900, I am directed to state for the information of the Government of India, that the district of Kolaba, excluding the State of Janjira, has been free from plague since the 9th November 1900, on which date the last case of plague proved fatal.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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Memo No. Pg. 837.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 838, dated Bangalore, 13th January 1901.

The following communication No. 528, dated the 1st December 1900, from the Officiating Resident at Hyderabad to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, is re-published for general information :—

In continuation of my letter No. 403, dated the 25th September 1900, and with special reference to your letter No. 2219, dated the 8th September 1900, I have the honor to report for the information of the Government of India, that I have received a communication from the Plague Commissioner, Hyderabad, to the effect that His Highness the Nizam's Government have officially declared the district of Lingsugur in the Hyderabad State to be entirely free

from plague. The last case was imported into Kopbal town in the Lingsugur district on the 16th September 1900, and ended fatally the same day.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette,* for publication in the *Gazette.*

Memo. No. Pg. 839.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 841, dated Bangalore, 13th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 71, dated the 11th December 1900, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is re-published for general information :—

His Highness the Nizam's Government having notified in the Jarida of the 26th November 1900, that the district of Lingsugur in the Hyderabad State is free from plague and shall therefore cease till further notice to be regarded as infected area or subjected to plague restrictions, the fact is published in the Residency Orders for general information.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette,* for publication in the *Gazette.*

Memo No. Pg. 842.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 843, dated Bangalore, 13th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 1001, dated the 18th December 1900, issued by the Government of Madras, is re-published for general information :—

In modification of Notification No. 945, published on page 354, Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette,* dated the 27th November 1900, the following places in India are declared to be infected with plague :—

In the Madras Presidency.—

(1) In the village of Mattagondapalli in the Hosur taluk of the Salem district.

Outside the Madras Presidency.—

(2) The Civil and Military Station of Bangalore; the districts of Kolar, Bangalore and Mysore; the taluk of Kunigal in the Tumkur district; and the taluk of Shimoga in the Shimoga district.
(3) The district of Aurangabad in the Hyderabad State.
(4) The Bombay Presidency excluding Sind.
(5) The City of Calcutta.
(6) The districts of Saran, Patna, Gaya and Monghyr in Bengal.
(7) The districts of Jullundur, Gurudaspur and Sialkot in the Punjab.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette,* for publication in the *Gazette.*

Memo No. Pg. 844.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 845, dated Bangalore, 13th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 303, dated the 14th December 1900, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is re-published for general information :—

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Foreign Department Notifications No. 444—I-A, dated the 4th February 1897, and No. 1232—1-A, dated the 3rd April 1897, the Resident at Hyderabad is pleased to order that, in consequence of the danger of plague being introduced into the Buldana district, the annual fairs at the places mentioned below shall not be held during the period specified against each, and that no assemblage of persons shall be allowed at those places :—

Where held.	Taluk.	Date.	
		From	To
Sonati	Mehkar	21st December 1900 ...	21st January 1901.
Pimpalgaon Devi	Malkapur	4th January 1901 ...	24th January 1901.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 846.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

The following Notification No. 69, dated the 10th December 1900, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad is republished for general information :—

In accordance with the Epidemic Diseases Act, No. III of 1897, as applied * to all lands in the territories of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad which are, or may hereafter be, occupied by railways, and in which the Governor General in Council has or exercises jurisdiction, and in exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Government of India in the Foreign Department Notification No. 444-1A of the 4th February 1897, the Resident at Hyderabad is pleased to make the following rules under Section II (2) *b* of the Act :—

*Government of India, Foreign Department Notification No. 443-1A, dated 4th February 1897.

1. Every train coming from the direction of Manmar towards Secunderabad by the Hyderabad-Godavery valley branch of His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways shall be stopped at Aurangabad, Jalna and Indur. No person travelling by such train shall alight from the carriage in which he has travelled or leave the precincts of the Aurangabad, Jalna and Indur stations on foot or proceed further along the railway line, and no person intending to start from the stations of Aurangabad, Jalna and Indur shall enter any such train until he has been medicially inspected in the manner provided by these rules.
2. The Resident at Hyderabad may appoint any person or persons by name or by virtue of office to be the Inspecting Medical Officer or Officers for the purposes of these rules, and may cancel any such appointment.
3. Inspecting Medical Officers appointed under these rules are empowered to examine all persons arriving at Aurangabad, Jalna and Indur by trains arriving from the direction of Manmar, and also all persons who enter the precincts of the Aurangabad, Jalna and Indur stations, intending to travel along the railway line, and to detain persons suffering or suspected by them to be suffering from bubonic plague, and to cause such persons to leave the railway precincts under supervi-

sion and the limit of the railway precincts to make them over to any Officer of His Highness the Nizam's Government on duty at the temporary hospital at Aurangabad, Jalna and Indur.

Provided that persons holding a certificate in the form annexed showing that they have been inoculated by M. Haffkine's process shall, unless they are actually suffering from bubonic plague, be exempt from detention. The certificate should be considered to be valid for six months.

4. The Police shall act under the orders given by the Senior Inspecting Medical Officer on duty under these rules with regard to compelling persons to submit to medical inspection and with regard to the detention and removal of persons to be suffering or suspected to be suffering from bubonic plague; and more particularly they are empowered under the orders of the Senior Inspecting Medical Officer—

(*a*) To require any person who may happen to be in a train to come out on the platform for purposes of inspection;

(*b*) to require any person to proceed to any particular place within the station that may be assigned for persons to remain at prior to or during medical inspection;

(*c*) to require any person who may have been medically inspected to deliver up his ticket to a ticket collector in order that some mark indicative of his having been inspected may be impressed thereon;

and no passenger whose ticket has not been impressed with the special mark referred to in the preceding sub-section shall travel from Manmar along the railway line.

5. Disobedience to the above rules or to any orders issued under the above rules will subject the offender to a prosecution under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

Plague Inoculation (*Royaal Arms*) *Certificate.*

No.

Certified that father's name

resident of , street/village , town/thana

district ,

has been inoculated by me, and that his thumb mark was at the time impressed before me.

Space left for thumb mark.

(Signed)

Dated

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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Memo No. Pg. 848.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 849, dated Bangalore, 16th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 341, dated the 28th December 1900, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is republished for general information :—

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Foreign Department Notifications No. 444-1A, dated the 4th February 1897, and No. 1232-1A, dated the 3rd April 1897, the Resident at Hyderabad is pleased to order that,

in consequence of the danger of plague being introduced into the Amraoti district, the annual fair at the place mentioned below shall not be held this year, and that no assemblage of persons shall be allowed at that place during the period specified against it:—

Where held.	Taluk.	Date.	
		From	To
Bhiltek	Chandur	5th January 1901 ...	5th March 1901.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 850.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 856, dated Bangalore, 18th January 1901.

It is hereby notified for general information that under the orders of the Government of India, no tickets to travel by railway to stations of Allahabad, Naini, Karchana, Jasra and Bamhrauli on the East Indian Railway shall be sold during the months of January and February 1901, within the Salem and Anantapur districts of the Madras Presidency, the Bombay Presidency excluding Sind, Calcutta and the districts of Patna, Gaya, Saran and Monghyr in Bengal, the Jullundur and Gurdaspur districts of the Punjab, the Mysore State including the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and the Aurangabad district of the Hyderabad State, to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the Magh Mela at Allahabad in the North-Western Provinces.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 857,

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 858, dated Bangalore, 18th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 8, dated the 8th January 1901, issued by th Government of Madras, is republished for general information : –

In modification of Notification No. 1001 published on page 372, Part 1-A o the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 18th December 1900, the following place in India are declared to be infected with plague :

In the Madras Presidency—

(1) The villages of Mattagondapalli, Onnatti and Gummalapura in the Hosu taluk, and the Vaniyambadi Municipality in the Tiruppattur taluk of the Salem district.

Outside of the Madras Presidency—

(2) The Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, the districts of Kolar, Bangalore and Mysore, the taluk of Tiptur in the Tumkur district, and the taluks of Shimoga and Shikarpur in the Shimoga district.
(3) The district of Aurangabad in the Hyderabad State.
(4) The Bombay Presidency excluding Sind.
(5) The City of Calcutta.
(6) The districts of Saran, Patna, Gaya and Monghyr in Bengal.
(7) The districts of Jullundur and Gurdaspur in the Punjab.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 859.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 862, dated Bangalore, 19th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 1, dated the 7th January 1901, issued by the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, is republished for general information :—

Whereas the Chief Commissioner of Coorg is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Kurchi, a village in Thavelgeri-Murnad of Kiggatnad taluk in Coorg, if persons from the Mysore territory and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Irpu jatra during the Mahasivaratri festival :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Chief Commissioner prohibits the attendance at the said jatra of persons from Mysore territory and other plague-infected parts on the 17th and 18th February 1901.

All persons proceeding to the jatra in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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Memo No. Pg. 863.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore for information.

No. Pg. 864, dated Bangalore, 19th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 10, dated the 8th January 1901, issued by the Government of Madras, is republished for general information :—

His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council hereby appoints the Railway Station at Arkonam junction in the North Arcot district to be an inspection station under No. 14 of the Regulations prescribed under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, for District Municipalities and other towns and villages, and published on pages 1583—1589, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th December 1897.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No Pg 865.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 866, dated Bangalore, 19th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 11, dated the 8th January 1901, issued by the Government of Madras, is republished for general information :—

Whereas indigenous plague has broken out in Vaniyambadi town in the Tirupattur taluk of the Salem district, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, in exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, hereby notifies the following stations on the south-west branch of the Madras Railway for the purposes of the passport rules prescribed in City Regulation 22 and Original Mufassal Regulation 17, published on pages 137—140 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 11th April 1899 :—

Jalarpet.	Gudiyattam.
Kettandapatti.	Kavanur.
Vinnamagalam.	Virinchipuram.
Ambur.	Latteri.
Mailpatti.	Katpadi.
Valatur.	

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo Pg. No. 867.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 868, dated Bangalore, 20th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 24 P., dated the 12th January 1901, issued by the Government of Madras, is republished for general information :—

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at the town of Kalahasti in the North Arcot District if pilgrims from the Salem and North Arcot districts, the Mysore and Hyderabad States and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble in that town on the occasion of the ensuing Brahmmotsavam festival of Sri Kalahasti Sivarasami, otherwise known as Bakasivaratri festival :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 5th to 25th February 1901 (both days inclusive) of persons from the places mentioned above, and directs that between the said dates no tickets to travel by railway shall be issued within the Salem and North Arcot districts to the railway stations of Sadur, Vended, Venkatagiri, Yellakam, Kalahasti, Yerpadu, Renigunta, Tirupati East, Tirupati West and Chandragiri, on the South Indian Railway and the stations of Peddapadu, Mamendur, Renigunta, Pudi, Tedaku, Pattur, Vapagunta and Nagad on the Madras Railway, to any person intending or believed to be intending to attend the festival.

All pilgrims proceeding to Kalahasti in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette,* for publication in the *Gazette.*

Memo No. Pg. 869.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 892, dated Bangalore, 22nd January 1901.

The following Order No. 29 P., dated the 12th January 1901, issued by the Government of Madras, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION No. I.

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Karmadai village in the koimbatore taluk of the Coimbatore district, if persons from the Salem and North Arcot districts, the Mysore State and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing car festival and cattle fair :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the holding of the fair and also the attendance at the said festival from the 25th February to 25th March 1901, both days inclusive, of persons from the places mentioned above.

His Excellency in Council also directs that no tickets to travel by railway to the railway stations of Mettipalaiyam, Karmadai, Perianayakanpaliam and Judialur on the Madras Railway shall be sold within the Salem and North Arcot districts in the Madras Presidency, during the said period to any pilgrim or other persons intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the said festival or attend the fair. All persons proceeding to Karamadai in contravention of the terms of the Notification will be turned back.

NOTIFICATION No. II.

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Buthahalu village in the Kollegal taluk of the Coimbatore district, if persons from the Salem and North Arcot districts, the Mysore State and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing jatrai festival;

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 22nd February to 17th March 1901, both days inclusive, of persons from the places mentioned above. All pilgrims proceeding to the festival in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

NOTIFICATION No. III.

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague on the Madeswaran Hills in the Kollegal taluk of the Coimbatore district, if persons from the Salem and North Arcot districts, the Mysore State and other plague-infected parts are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Sivaratri festival:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 5th to 28th February 1901, both days inclusive, of persons from the places mentioned above. All persons proceeding to the festival in contravention of this Notification will be sent back.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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Name of Jatra.	Where held.	Taluk.	Date	
			From	To
		MYSORE DISTRICT.		
1. Roman Catholic feast ...	Ganjam ...	Seringapatam ...	10th April 1901 ...	20th April 1901.
2. Chamarajeswaraswami Rathotsava	Chamrajnagar ...	Chamrajnagar ...	20th May 1901 ...	29th May 1901.
3. Guddadamatada Virabhadraswami Rathotsava.	Amachavadi ..	Ditto ...	21st do ...	.....

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In exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 2, Sub-Section 1 of the Epidemic Diseases Regulation No. II of 1897, the Government of Mysor are pleased to prohibit persons from infected areas from attending the under mentioned jatras at the places and on the dates specified against each :—

No.	Name of Jatra.	Village.	Taluk.	Date of Jatra.	Duratio of the Jatra.
		TUMKUR DISTRICT.			
					Days.
1	Venkavadhutara jatra ...	Husseinpura ...	Pavagada	2 2 1901	3
2	Narasimhaswami car festival ..	Dodda Seebi ...	Sira	4 2 1901	15
3	Kalleswara jatra	Pura	Gubbi	5 2 1901	5
4	Hethenahalli Ammana jatra ...	Hethenahalli ...	Tumkur	14 2 1901	3
5	Henchari Byredevara jatra ...	Vaddarahalli ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	15 2 1901	1

No.	Name of Jatra.	Village.	Taluk.	Date of Jatra.	Duration of the Jatra.
		TUMKUR DISTRICT—continued.			Days.
6	Haliyurammana jatra ...	Halavooru	Kunigal	15 2 1901	5
7	Lakkamma jara	Hesarahalli ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	20 2 1901	1
8	Sankareswaraswami jatra ...	Keragodi	Tiptur	2 3 1901	6
9	Kanve Narasimhaswami car festival.	Pavagada	Pavagada	4 3 1901	6
10	Sree Lakshmi Narasimhaswami car festival.	Devarayadrug ...	Tumkur	5 3 1901	7
11	Ranganathadevara car festival.	Tippuru	Gubbi	6 3 1901	3
12	Kariyammana jatra ...	Peddihalli	Tiptur	8 3 1901	3
13	Anjaneya jatra	Sorlamavu ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	9 3 1901	1
14	Gubbiappanna jatra ...	Gubbi	Gubbi	13 3 1901	10
15	Byatarayaswami car festival ...	Turuvekere ..	Turuvekere sub-taluk.	13 3 1901	3
16	Anjaneya jatra	Malligere	Chiknayakanhalli ...	15 3 1901	1
17	Lakshmi Devi jatra ...	Borappanahalli ...	Gubbi	20 3 1901	3
18	Marammana jatra... ...	Horakere	Do	24 3 1901	2
19	Ammana jatra	Bevinahalli ..	Chiknayakanhalli .	27 3 1901	1
20	Pattadammana jatra ...	Mavinahalli ..	Gubbi	28 3 1901	1
21	Mannemari jatra	Madlapura ..	Do	29 3 1901	4
22	Rangaswami's car festival ...	Gavirangapura ...	Huliyar sub-taluk ...	1 4 1901	6
23	Anjaneyaswami car festival ...	Settihalli	Tumkur	3 4 1901	2
24	Fattadammana jatra ...	Seetikuli	Do	Do	3
25	Veerabhadradevaru jatra ...	Veerannagudi ...	Gubbi	Do	3
26	Channakesavaswami jatra ...	Channakeswapura ...	Pavagada	Do	5
27	Anjaneyadevaru jatra ...	Manikuppe ...	Gubbi	7 4 1901	2
28	Mariyammana jatra ...	Madavagatta ...	Do	10 4 1901	4
29	Honnadevamma jatra ...	Dandinasvara ...	Do	Do	8
30	Sree Byatarayaswami jatra ...	Nonavinkere ..	Tiptur	11 4 1901	10
31	Anjaneya jatra	Handankere ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	12 4 1901	1
32	Bidaremmana jatra ...	Bidaregudi ..	Tiptur	13 4 1901	8
33	Kempammana jatra ...	Nagasandra ...	Gubbi	14 4 1901	3
34	Kempammana jatra ...	Hanta	Tiptur	Do	5
35	Anjaneyaswami jatra ...	Bommanahalli ...	Gubbi	15 4 1901	2
36	Siddeswaradevaru car festival...	Yediyuru ..	Kunigal	17 4 1901	7
37	Dandinamaramma parshe ...	Maddagiri... ...	Maddagiri... ...	20 4 1901	8
38	Ammana jatra	Byalakere	Chiknayakanhalli ...	22 4 1901	1
39	Byatarayaswami jatra ...	Naranahalli ...	Gubbi	24 4 1901	2
40	Madammana jatra	Kadaba	Do	Do	8
41	Rangadhamma jatra ...	Badavanahalli ...	Maddagiri ...	25 4 1901	3
42	Male Rangaswami car festival.	Bandrehalli ...	Do	Do	2
43	Lakshmi Devi Jatra ...	Seegehalli	Gubbi	Do	3
44	Narasimhadevaru car festival...	Mukanahallipatna ...	Do	29 4 1901	3
45	Mallikarjuna jatra ...	Thamadihulli ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	30 4 1901	1

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			From	To
MYSORE DISTRICT.				
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2. Chamarajeswaraswami Rathotsava	Chamrajnagar ...	Chamrajnagar ...	20th May 1901 ...	20th May 1901.
3. Guddadamatada Virabhadraswami Rathotsava.	Amachavadi ..	Ditto ...	21st do ...	.....

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TUMKUR DISTRICT.					
					Days.
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2	Narasimhaswami car festival ..	Dodda Seebi ...	Sira	4 2 1901	15
3	Kalleswara jatra	Pura	Gubbi	5 2 1901	5
4	Hethenahalli Ammana jatra ...	Hethenahalli ...	Tumkur	14 2 1901	3
5	Henchari Byredevara jatra ...	Vaddarahalli ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	15 2 1901	1

No.	Name of Jatra.	Village.	Taluk.	Date of Jatra.	Duration of the Jatra.
		TUMKUR DISTRICT—continued.			Days.
6	Haliyurammana jatra ...	Halavoorù	Kunigal	15 2 1901	5
7	Lakkamana jara	Hesarahalli ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	20 2 1901	1
8	Sankareswaraswami jatra ...	Keragodi	Tiptur	2 3 1901	6
9	Kanve Narasimhaswami car festival.	Pavagada	Pavagada	4 3 1901	6
10	Sree Lakshmi Narasimhaswami car festival.	Devarayadrug ...	Tumkur	5 3 1901	7
11	Ranganathadevara car festival.	Tippuru	Gubbi	6 3 1901	3
12	Kariyammana jatra ...	Peddihalli	Tiptur	8 3 1901	3
13	Anjaneya jatra	Sorlamavu ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	9 3 1901	1
14	Gubbiappanna jatra ...	Gubbi	Gubbi	13 3 1901	10
15	Byatarayaswami car festival ...	Turuvekere ..	Turuvekere sub-taluk.	13 3 1901	3
16	Anjaneya jatra	Malligere	Chiknayakanhalli ...	15 3 1901	1
17	Lakshmi Devi jatra ...	Borappanahalli ...	Gubbi	20 3 1901	3
18	Marammaba jatra... ...	Horakere	Do	24 3 1901	2
19	Ammana jatra	Bevinahalli ..	Chiknayakanhalli .	27 3 1901	1
20	Pattadammana jatra ...	Mavinahalli ..	Gubbi	28 3 1901	1
21	Mannemari jatra	Madlapura ..	Do	29 3 1901	4
22	Rangaswami's car festival ...	Gavirangapura ...	Huliyar sub-taluk ...	1 4 1901	6
23	Anjaneyaswami car festival ...	Settihalli	Tumkur	3 4 1901	2
24	Pattadammana jatra ...	Seethkull	Do	Do	3
25	Veerabhadradevaru jatra ...	Veerannagudi ...	Gubbi	Do	3
26	Chamakesavaswami jatra ...	Channakeswapura ...	Pavagada	Do	5
27	Anjaneyadevaru jatra ...	Manikuppe ...	Gubbi	7 4 1901	2
28	Mariyammana jatra ...	Madavagatta ...	Do	10 4 1901	4
29	Honnadevamana jatra ...	Dandinasvara ...	Do	Do	8
30	Sree Byatarayaswami jatra ...	Nonavinkeré ..	Tiptur	11 4 1901	10
31	Anjaneya jatra	Handankere ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	12 4 1901	1
32	Bidaremmana jatra ...	Bidaregudi ..	Tiptur	13 4 1901	8
33	Kempammana jatra ...	Nagasandra ...	Gubbi	14 4 1901	3
34	Kempammana jatra ...	Hunta	Tiptur	Do	5
35	Anjaneyaswami jatra ...	Bommanahalli ...	Gubbi	15 4 1901	2
36	Siddeswaradevaru car festival...	Yediyuru ..	Kunigal	17 4 1901	7
37	Dandinamaramma parshè ...	Maddagiri... ...	Maddagiri... ...	20 4 1901	8
38	Ammana jatra	Byalakere	Chiknayakanhalli ...	22 4 1901	1
39	Byatarayaswami jatra ...	Naranahalli ...	Gubbi	24 4 1901	8
40	Madammana jatra	Kadaba	Do	Do	8
41	Rangadhamana jatra ...	Badavanahalli ...	Maddagiri ...	25 4 1901	3
42	Male Rangaswami car festival.	Bandrehalli ...	Do	Do	3
43	Lakshmi Devi Jatra ...	Seegehalli	Gubbi	Do	3
44	Narasimhadevaru car festival...	Mukanahalliyatna ...	Do	29 4 1901	3
45	Mallikarjuna jatra ...	Thamadihulli ...	Chiknayakanhalli ...	30 4 1901	1

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The following Order No. 70, dated the 10th December 1900, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is republished for general information :—

With reference to Rule 2 of the Rules framed by the Resident under Section II (2) (*b*) of the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897, and promulgated in the Residency Orders, Notifications marginally cited, and in supersession of the orders contained in Residency Orders, Notification No. 39, dated the 7th July 1900, the Resident at Hyderabad is pleased to order the following changes in the list of Medical Officers and subordinates on plague duty on His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State and Great Indian Peninsula Railways for the purposes of the Rules :—

No. 12, dated the 10th March 1897.
„ 41, „ 16th October 1897.
„ 44, „ 23rd „
„ 51, „ 8th November 1897.
„ 40, „ 22nd August 1898.
„ 49, „ 20th October 1898.
„ 53, „ 15th November 1898.
„ 16, „ 16th February 1899.
„ 69, „ 10th December 1900.

Rank.	Names.	Station.
Hakim	Mahomed Ali	Raichur.
Do	S. David	Do
Nurse	Mrs. Meck	Do
Hakim	Nusserwanji Chinoy ..	Wadi.
Dresser	Said-ud-din	Do
Compounder	Abdul Rahiman.. ..	Do
Hakim	A. R. Huffton	Gulbarga.
Do	Hormusji Chinoy ..	Do
Lady Hakim	Miss L. Stevenson ..	Do
Dresser	A. V. Bam	Do
Hakim	Kairsaspji Dadabhoy ..	Khamamett.
Dresser	A. Samuel	Do
Nurse	Mrs. Adamson	Do
Hakim	Kurban Hussain Khan ..	Aurangabad.
Do	Mrs. E. Davis . ..	Do
Dresser	F. Lazarus	Do
Hakim	C. Schaffter .. .	Jalna.
Dresser	Srinivasa Ram Rao ..	Do
Nurse	Joanna Bai . ..	Do
Hakim	Mehirji Nausharwanji ..	Indur.
Dresser	P. Chakrapani Naidu ..	Do
Nurse	Mrs. A. Catley	Do

2. The following have been closed as plague examining stations with effect from the dates mentioned :—

Station.	Date of closure.
Lingampalli	17th May 1899.
Ditto	Do
Gullaguda	7th June 1899.
Shankarpalli	Do
Vikarabad	Do
Dharur	Do
Tandur	Do
Nawandgi	Do
Nalwar	Do
Syedapur	Do
Krishna	Do
Chiksagar	Do
Mutmari	Do
Shahabad	Do
Murtur	Do
Savalgi	Do
Gangapur	Do
Kalali	Do
Chittapur	Do

Station.	Date of closure.
Yadgir	8th August 1899.
Seram	Do
Bhongir	Do
Warangal	Do
Monkota	Do
Mudra	Do
Savalgi	7th July 1900.
Gangapur	Do
Kalali	Do
Vizapur	10th November 1900.
Do	Do
Kuppul	26th November 1900.

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No. Pg. 897, dated Bangalore, 24th January 1901.

The following Notification No 5, dated the 5th January 1901, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad is republished for general information :—

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Foreign Department Notifications No. 444-1—A, dated the 4th February 1897, and No. 1233-1—A, dated the 3rd April 1897, the Resident at Hyderabad is pleased to order that in consequence of the danger of plague being introduced into the Buldana district, the annual fair at the place mentioned below shall not be held this year and that no assemblage of persons shall be allowed at that place during the period specified against it :—

Where held.	Taluk.	Date	
		From	To
Gomedhar	Mehkar	17th February 1901 ...	3rd March 1901

By Order,
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Memo No. Pg. 898.

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No. Pg. 900, dated Bangalore, 25th January 1901.

The following Notification No. 32 P., dated the 15th January 1901, issued by the Government of Madras, is republished for general information :—

Whereas the Governor of Fort. St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Trichendur in the taluk of Srivaikuntam in the district of Tinnevelly, if persons from the Salem and North Arcot districts, the Mysore Province and other plague-infected parts are permitted to visit that village on the occasion of the ensuing "Masi festival and cattle fair:"

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act of 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival or fair from the 15th February 1901 to 24th March 1901 both days inclusive, of persons from the above mentioned places.

All persons proceeding to the festival or cattle fair in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

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Memo No. Pg. 901.

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No. Pg. 913, dated Bangalore, 26th January 1901.

The following Notification, issued by the Government of Madras, is republished for general information :—

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at the village of Karvalur, in the Palladam taluk of the Coimbatore district, if persons from the Salem and North Arcot districts, the Mysore State, and other plague-infected parts are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing car festival and cattle fair:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to prohibit the holding of the fair and also the attendance at the said festival from the 25th March to the 17th April 1901, both days inclusive, of persons from the places mentioned above.

All persons proceeding to Karvalur in contravention of this Notification will be turned back.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

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Memo No. Pg. 914.

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READ—

Letter No. 3194, dated the 24th January 1901, from the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

I have the honor to forward herewith with my remarks in the margin, copy of a meme received from the Chief Plague Officer, Mysore City, through the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore district, together with copy of the proposition statement therewith received, containing proposals for the reorganization and reduction of Plague establishments in the Mysore City, and to state that I entirely agree with the proposals made by the said officers. The result of these proposals is that the establishment which now costs Rs. 6,180 per mensem will from the 1st proximo be reduced to Rs. 1,313, of which Rs. 1,119-8-0 will be borne by the Municipality and Rs. 193-8-0 from Provincial (Plague) funds.

No Health Officer has been appointed for the Municipality.

Memorandum by the Chief Plague Officer, Mysore City.

REMARKS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONER.

"Government will have to appoint a Health Officer in consultation with the Senior Surgeon. The pay to be met from Provincial funds and the allowance, if any, to be provided from Municipal funds. The allowance may be Rs. 100 or 150 as may be decided by the Senior Surgeon."

The Chief Plague Office to be abolished, and the duties pertaining to the present Chief Plague Officer to be performed by a full-time Health Officer appointed by the Municipality. The Health Officer will work under the orders of the President. He will be provided with office establishment as shown below :—

	Rs.
Head clerk	25
Statistical clerk	20
Mutsaddi	15
Dafadar	8
3 Peons at Rs. 6 each	18
Total ...	86

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S REMARKS.

The Hospital Assistants in charge of Municipal Dispensaries may, for the present, be appointed as Registrars.

2. The Ward offices and the establishments pertaining thereto including the supervisors, to be abolished, in lieu of them Registrars to be appointed.

1	Registrar for	Nazarbad and Ittigegud.	
1	Do	Lashkar	Mohalla.
1	Do	Mandi	do
1	Do	Krishnaraj	do
1	Do	Chamraj	do
1	Do	Devaraj	do
1	Do	Fort.	
1	Do	Kannegaudankoppal, Padavarhalli and Ontikoppal.	

The Hospital Assistants in charge of the Nazarbad Dispensary to be the Registrar of Nazerbad and Ittigegud. The Hospital Assistant of Erangere Dispensary to be the Registrar of Lashkar Mohalla. The Hospital Assistant of Old Agrahar Dispensary to be the Registrar of Chamraj Mohalla. Registrars for other mohallas to be appointed. These, if possible, to be Medical men not lower in rank than Hospital Assistants of the 2nd grade, to get an allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem (including the plague allowance) in addition to their pay.

3. Under each Registrar, Sub-Registrars to be appointed, the number varying according to the extent of the area or number of houses under each jurisdiction :—

2	Sub-Registrars for	Nazerbad and Ittigegud.	
3	Do	Lashkar	Mohalla.
3	Do	Mandi	do
2	Do	Krishnaraj	do
2	Do	Chamraj	do
2	Do	Devaraj	do
2	Do	Suburban villages.	

The Sub-Registrars to be paid :—

1st Class 9 at
2nd do 7 at

REMARKS OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS.

"In addition to the two midwives now attached to the Dispensaries, three nurses would do."

4. Five Plague nurses or, if funds permit, five midwives in additon to the two Municipal midwives now in work, to be employed and one midwife attached to each mohalla.

5. The duties of the Registrars will be :—

(1) to receive under the Epidemic Diseases Regulation, reports of all arrivals to, and departures from, their divisions.

(2) to see sick cases reported.

(3) to control the movements of the people residing within their jurisdiction, and

(4) to take necessary action in all plague cases, to register and certify all births and deaths and, in short, to exercise all the powers now conferred upon and all the duties pertaining to the Ward Civil and Medical Officers.

The Sub-Registrars will assist the Registrars in maintaining the several registers prescribed and do the duties now pertaining to the supervisors.

The midwives to be employed in observing and examining, when there is need, gosha and other females that object to be seen and examined by men.

6. It shall be the duty of every house-owner or head of a family to report under the Epidemic Diseases Regulation at the Registrar's office of the mohalla or division, he may be residing in, all arrivals at, departures from, sickness, births and deaths that may occur in his house or family.

7. Arrivals, departures and births should be reported within 24 hours; sickness and death immediately. A certificate of death must be obtained in every case of death from the Registrar who shall grant it, if necessary after inspection of the body with as little delay as possible.

8. The Registrar shall maintain in his office correct registers showing particulars of people residing within his jurisdiction. These registers shall be posted every fortnigh- from the information furnished by the householders and that collected by the Sub-Registrars.

He shall maintain a register of births and deaths and sick cases as per forms accompanying. A clerk and a peon should be given him.

DISINFECTION.

9. Under ordinary circumstances, and when there are not more than six houses or so for disinfection during the day, the establishment to be of the strength noted in the margin.

		Rs.
1. Inspector on	...	20
2. Gangmen at Rs. 10 each	...	20
18. Coolies at Rs. 7 each	...	126
Store-keepr allowance	...	10
Compounder	...	8
Peon	...	7
Total	...	291

The strength to be temporarily increased as necessity arises. On the other hands, when for any continued time there is no house to be disinfected, the disinfecting establishment might be done away with altogether.

10. *Plague Hospital.*—Under ordinary circumstances and when the number of patients is not more than 20, the establishment to be maintained will be as shown in the margin.

		Rs.
1 First Class Hospital Assistant	...	60+20
1 Clerk	...	15
1 Compounder	...	9
3 Male wards at	...	12 each.
3 Female do	...	12 "
1 Male toti	...	10
1 Female toti	...	10
1 Vakkaligar cook	...	10
1 Lingayat do	...	10
1 Brahmin do	...	15
1 Gasal	...	10
1 Dhobi	...	8

As the number in the Hospital increases, however, additional men and women should be entertained in accordance with the wants.

When plague is severe and the number of the sick in the Hospital is 30 and above and the Contact Camp is large, a Medical officer not below the grade of a Sub-Assistant Surgeon of two or three years' standing to be placed in charge with a subordinate establishment equal to the necessity of the movement.

11. *Sanitation, &c.*—One Sanitary Inspector is not enough for such a big city. There ought to be at least two qualified and certificated Sanitary Inspectors under the orders of the Health Officer. The duties of the Sanitary Inspectors will be :—

(1) attention to road scavenging.
(2) attention to house drains and service connections.
(3) attention to the defects of public latrines and urinals.
(4) prevention of pollution of drinking water-supply, tanks, reservoirs and channels.
(5) inspection of slaughter houses, cow sheds, stables, &c.
(6) inspection of places where noxious trade and trades injurious to public health are carried on, and prevention of such trades.
(7) inspection of food stuffs in grain shops, sweetmeats and pakoda shops, native hotels, fruit bazaars, &c.

REMARKS OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

This is not practicable unless the Municipality undertake to construct extensive cattle-sheds in different mohallas.

REMARKS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONERS.

"The Municipality should move in the matter and build cattle-sheds to meet the requirements of one or two mohallas."

Tying up of cattle in the living quarters, that is, in court-yards and front and side and back yards of inhabited houses should be prevented. Each mohalla should have its own cattle shed and place for collection of manure. No manure should be allowed to be stored within the town nor brattis (cowdung brattis) allowed to be prepared in the town. No lime kilns or preparation of oil by the boiling process should be allowed in the town.

REMARKS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONER.

"If the present Regulation does not provide for this, power may be applied for and legislation suggested."

Dhobis and barbers should be registered and none of these two classes allowed to ply his trade for a fixed period or till the locality is pronounced free of infection by the Health Officer on the occurrence of infectious or epidemic disease in his house.

The prevention of tying up of cattle and preparation of brattis will be no easy matter and may cause inconvenience and rouse opposition.

Means should be adopted therefore to take the head-men of the Agricultural community into confidence and with their help effect the needful.

Moreover the construction of cattle stalls, stables and manure godowns will cost a lot of money. As, however, in the long run it will be greatly for the benefit of the community in general, the amount may be spread over a couple of years or more and the needful got done.

12. *Police Staff.*—To guard the Plague Camp eight constables in charge of a Lance Dafadar will be permanently wanted, as thousands of rupees have been spent on the sheds in the camp and great care and watchfulness would be necessary to keep them from being damaged. To guard the strong room in the Ward office, four constables are required.

13. In addition to the above, during the prevalence of plague and at its height, police men for guarding the outposts will be necessary.

14. A Police guard for taking charge of the property left in infected houses or handed over by merchants and others during the prevalence of plague in the City, will have to be entertained. This when occasion arises, might be of the strength shown in the margin.

1 Police officer on Rs. 20.
8 constables at Rs. 7 each.

15. Regarding the cost of the proposed establishments, it is considered fair that the Municipality should bear the major portion of it.

16. The entire cost of registration of births and deaths should be paid out of Municipal funds, as it is a charge properly debitable to these funds.

17. Half the cost of disinfection should be met from Municipal funds.

18. The cost of the Plague Hospital should be met in ordinary times, from the Municipal funds. The Government, however, may give help when plague rages and the cost of the establishment rises high.

19. The Health Office establishment, the Registrars and their establishments and the establishment attached to the Epidemic Diseases Hospital (Plague Camp) will be borne on the permanent lists.

20. A statement showing the present and the proposed scales of establishment is hereto appended.

Register of Deaths in Municipal Division No. of Mysore City.

Serial No.	Date and hour of report.	Name of deceased.	Age.	Caste.	Sex.	Residence.	Block No.	Hour of attention.	Cause of death.	Whether sickness reported during life or not, if former the date of report.	Registrar's initials.	Remarks.

Register of Sick Cases in Municipal Division of Mysore City.

Serial No.	Date and hour of report.	Name of patient.	Residence.	Block No.	Date and hour of attention.	Disease.	Whether kept under observation.	Date of discharge if observed.	Result.	Registrar's tials.	Remarks.

Register of Population residing in Municipal Division No. for the ending

Block No.	Petta.	Street.	No. of houses.	Caste.	No. of—			Total.	Arrivals.	Births.		Departures.	Deaths.			Remarks.
					Men.	Women.	Children.			Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.	Children.	

NOTE—All of ten years and under ten to be classed as children.

Signature.

CENSUS FORM A.

Particulars of Persons residing in house No. Petta or Street Municipal Division on the 1st day of

Serial No.	Names.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Remarks.

ABSTRACT.

	Males.	Females.
Remained on the 1st day of.....		
Arrivales during the.....		
Births		
Departures		
Deaths		

I certify that the above statement is correct.

Signed.

General (Plague), dated 29th January 1901.

Proposition statement of the present establishment and that to be retained after reduction.

Govt. Order creating the establishment	To what office the proposition refers	Present establishment					Proposed establishment				
		No	Designation	Pay	Allowance	Total cost	No	Designation	Pay	Allowance	Total cost
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Progs. No. 365—4, dated 15th October 1900	Chief Plague Office.	1	Chief Plague Officer	...	200	...	1	Health Officer ...	200	...	...
		1	Head Clerk ...	50	...	...	1	Head Clerk ...	25	...	...
		1	Deputy Clerk ...	35	...	...	1	Statistical Clerk ...	20	...	...
		1	Accountant ...	25	...	...	1	Mutsaddi ...	15	...	...
		1	Gumasta ...	15	...	...	1	Dafadar ...	8	...	...
		1	Assistant Accountant.	15	...	...	3	Peons at Rs. 6 ...	18	...	...
		1	Dafadar ...	9	...	...					
		3	Peons on Rs. 7 each.	21	...	...					
		2	Do on Rs. 6 each	12	...	...					
		1	Mashalchi ...	6	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	388			...	...	286
	Health Office	1	Health Officer ...	100	150	...					
		1	Clerk ...	20	...	...					
		2	Peons at Rs. 6 each.	12	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	282					
	Ward Offices	3	Ward Officers at Rs. 50 allowance.	...	150	...					
		4	Ward Medical Officers at Rs. 30 allce.	...	120	...					
		3	Head Clerks at Rs. 20.	60	...	...					
		3	Deputy ditto at Rs. 15.	45	...	...					
		3	3rd Clerks at Rs. 12.	36	...	...					
		3	Dafadars at Rs. 8 ...	24	...	...					
		3	Peons at Rs. 7 ...	21	...	...					
		6	Do at Rs. 6 ...	36	...	...					
		3	Mashalchis at Rs. 6	18	...	...					
		6	Nurses at Rs. 12 ...	72	...	...					
		3	Markers at Rs. 7 ...	21	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	603					
	Supervision ...	90	Supervisors at Rs. 8	720	...	720	8	Registrars at Rs. 20...	...	160	...
							15	Sub-Registrars, 9 at Rs. 10 and 7 at Rs. 8.	146	...	...
							3	Nurses at Rs. 12 ...	36	...	...
							7	Clerks at Rs. 15 ...	105	...	...
							7	Peons at Rs. 6 ...	42	...	...
											489

Proposition statement, &c.—*continued.*

Govt. Order creating the establishment	To what office the proposition refers	Present establishment					Proposed establishment				
		No	Designation	Pay	Allowance	Total cost	No	Designation	Pay	Allowance	Total cost
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Progs. No. 363—4, dated 15th October 1900	Disinfection Staff.	1	Assistant Superintendent.	100	20	...	1	Inspector ...	20	...	...
		4	Inspectors, 1 at 40 & 3 at Rs. 30	130	...	...	2	Gangmen at Rs. 10 ...	20	...	...
		10	Head gangmen at Rs. 16.	100	...	...	18	Coolies at Rs. 7 ...	126	...	...
		130	Coolies at Rs. 7 ...	910	...	...					
		1	Clerk ...	15	...	...					
		2	Carts at Rs. 20 ...	40	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	1,315		Total ...	...	...	166
	Central Disinfection Stores.	1	Store-keeper ...	...	10	...	1	Store-keeper ...	...	10	...
		1	Compounder ...	12	...	...	1	Compounder ...	8	...	...
		2	Peons at Rs. 6 each	12	...	...	1	Peon ...	7	...	...
			Total ...	...	...	34		Total ...	...	...	25
G. O. P. No. 1097—5754, dated 24th November 1900, also G. P. No. 721—3, dated 13th December 1900	D. P. W. Establishment.	1	Supervisor or Overseer.	60+15	30*	...					
		1	Clerk ...	15	...	...					
		2	Peons at Rs. 6 ...	12	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	132					
	Burial grounds	18	Watchers at Rs. 7 ...	126	...	...					
		18	Grave diggers at Rs. 6	108	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	234					
	Railway inspection.	1	Inspecting Medical Officer.	...	50	...					
		1	Nurse ...	12	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	62					
	Erangere Pg. Camp.	1	Assistant Surgeon ...	...	100	...	1	Hospital Assistant ...	60	20	...
		4	Hospital Assistants.	240	120	...	1	Clerk ...	15	...	...
		1	Camp clerk ...	20	...	...	1	Compounder ...	9	...	...
		1	Accountant ...	10	...	...	3	Male warders at Rs. 12.	36	...	...
		1	Compounder ...	10	...	...	3	Female do ...	36	...	...
		1	Brahmin cook ...	15	...	...	1	Male toti ...	10	...	...
		1	Lingayat do ...	12	...	...	1	Female toti ...	10	...	...
		1	Vakaligar do ...	12	...	...	1	Vakaligar cook ...	10	...	...
		1	Head warder ...	15	...	...	1	Lingayat do ...	10	...	...

* Allowance of Rs. 30 sanctioned in Chief Engineer's No. 1097—5754, dated 24th November 1900, also G. P. No. 721—3, dated 13th December 1900

* The services of the D. P. W. Overseer have been dispensed with from 6th December 1900.

Proposition statement, &c.—*concluded.*

Govt. Order creating the establishment	To what office the proposition refers	Present establishment					Proposed establishment				
		No	Designation	Pay	Allowance	Total cost	No	Designation	Pay	Allowance	Total cost
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Erangere Pg. Camp.	12	Male warders at Rs. 12.	144	...	...					
		12	Female do ...	144	...	...	1	Brahmin cook ...	15	...	...
		3	Male sweepers at Rs. 10.	30	...	...	1	Gasal ...	10	...	...
		2	Female do ...	20	...	...	1	Dhobi ...	8	...	...
		2	Brahmin corpse bearers.	30	...	...					
		2	Hindu do ...	30	...	...					
		2	Mahomedan do ...	30	...	...		Total ..	...	...	249
		2	Female totis at Rs. 10	20	...	...					
		1	Washerman ...	15	...	...					
		2	Peons at Rs. 7 ...	14	...	...					
		1	Mashalchi ...	5	...	...					
		1	Female gasal ...	10	...	...					
		1	Matron ...	100†	...	...					
		1	Lady Apothecary ...	45	...	...					
		1	Midwife ...	25	...	...					
		2	Carts at Rs. 30 ...	60	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	1,276					
	Disinfection at the Railway Station.	1	Driver ...	30	...	...					
		2	Watchers at Rs. 6 ...	12	...						
			Total ...	...	...	42					
	Plague Police.	5	Head Constables at Rs. 20.	100	...	...					
		2	1st Class Sergeants at Rs. 14.	28	...	...					
		6	2nd Class do at Rs. 12	72	...	...		Lance dafadar ...	14	...	...
		100	Constables at Rs. 8	800	...	...	1	Constables at Rs. 7 ...	84	...	...
			Total ...	...	...	1,000	12				
	Establishment of Civil Officer - Magistrate.	1	Clerk ...	20	...	...		Total ...	...	...	98
		2	Peons at Rs. 6 ...	12	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	32					
	Government woodyard.	1	Officer for distribution of shed materials.	50	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	50					
G. P. No. 541—2 dated 15th November 1900	Ward office strong room.	1	Accountant to keep accounts of unclaimed properties.	10	...	...					
			Total ...	...	...	10					
			Grand Total ...	...	...	6,180			...	...	1,313

†Service dispensed with from 1st January 1901, vide this office No. 3144-5, dated 20th January 1901.

No. Pg. 919-22, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The proposals made in the above are approved, with effect from 1st February 1901.

2. Government will pass early orders on the question of appointing a Health Officer for the Mysore City in lieu of the Chief Plague Officer.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Deptt.

To—The Plague Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore.
The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

No. Pg. 915, dated Bangalore, 26th January 1901.

In exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 2, Sub-Section 1, of the Epidemic Diseases Regulation No. II of 1897, the Government of Mysore are pleased to prohibit the holding of the undermentioned Jatra at the place and on the dates specified against it :—

Name of Jatra.	Where held.	Taluk.	Date.	
			From	To
		KADUR DISTRICT.		
Anthragattamma Jatra ..	Anthragutta ...	Kadur	1st February 1901 ...	4th February 1901.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 916.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

No. Pg. 917, dated Bangalore, 26th January 1901.

In exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 2, Sub-Section 1, of the Epidemic Diseases Regulation No. II of 1897, the Government of Mysore are pleased to prohibit persons from infected areas from attending the undermentioned Jatras at the places and on the dates specified against each :—

Name of Jatra.	Where held.	Taluk.	Date.	
			From	To
		KADUR DISTRICT.		
1. Mallikarjunaswami car festival.	Yegatipura ...	Kadur	1st March 1901 ...	10th March 1901.
		CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.		
1. Virabhadradevara Jatra...	Kotladagudda ..	Jagalur ...	5th March 1901 .	8th March 1901.
2. Kalleswaradevara Jatra ...	Kalledevarapura ...		20th April 1901 ...	21st April 1901.

By Order,
C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Sec. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication in the *Gazette*.

Memo No. Pg. 918.

Copy forwarded to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, for information.

READ—

Letter No. 2866, dated the 3rd January 1901, from the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

1. I have the honor to forward herewith for sanction the budget estimate of the Plague Department for the month of January 1901 amounting to Rs. 36,078.

2. The amount sanctioned for expenditure during the month of December 1900 is Rs. 35,402, excluding the pay of officers and subordinates of the Revenue and Medical Departments employed on plague duty (as per statement annexed) *vide* Government Proceedings No. 738-9, dated the 14th December 1900.

3. Deducting the approximate sum of Rs. 3,885, being the pay of officers and subordinates of the Revenue and Medical Departments on plague duty to be debited to their respective Departments and also the sum of Rs. 5,000 sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 210-12, dated the 15th September 1900, and advanced as a loan from Plague Funds for the construction of V-shaped drains in the Mysore City, the net estimated expenditure for January 1901 is Rs. 27,193 or Rs. 8,209 less than the amount sanctioned for December 1900.

No. Pg. 927-8, DATED BANGALORE, 30TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The budget estimate of the Plague Department for January 1901, providing for an expenditure of Rs. 32,193, exclusive of the pay of officers and subordinates of the Revenue and Medical Departments employed on plague duty, amounting to Rs. 3,885 and including the sum of R. 5,000 already sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. Pg. 210-2, dated the 15th September 1900, as a loan from Plague Funds for the construction of V-shaped drains in the Mysore City, is sanctioned.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Plague Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Statement showing the approximate Expenditure on account of pay of Officers and Subordinates of the Medical and Revenue Departments for January 1901.

Particulars.	Head-quarters.	Bangalore City.	Bangalore district.	Kolar district.	Tumkur district.	Mysore City.	Mysore district.	Hassan district.	Shimoga district.	Kadur district.	Chitaldrug district.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I. Direction	300	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	300
II. Executive A—District Head-quarters—												
1. Pay of Chief and District Plague Officers.	...	600	...	.....	...	500	250	...	...	...	.....	1,350
6. Pay of Ward Officers ...	...	300	...	...	...	230	...	...	...	...	.....	530
11. Pay of Medical Officers ...	..	230	...	...	...	240	...	...	...	...	.....	470
B. Rural—												
1. Pay of Plague Officers ...	...	.....	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	150
11. Pay of Medical Officers	...	.....	...	50	...	...	...	...	..	...	.....	50
IV. Hospitals—												
2. Pay of Medical Officers	...	220	...	...	...	565	...	...	25	...	.....	830
V. Disinfection—												
1. Pay of Civil Officers ..	...	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	100
VI. Examination at Railway Stations— Pay of Medical Officers ...	...	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	105
Total ...	300	1,555	...	200	...	1,555	250	...	25	...	...	3,885

READ—

Letter No. 3206, dated the 24th January 1901, from the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

I have the honor to forward herewith, for the information of Government, copy of letter No. 195, dated the 21st January 1901, from the Chief Plague Officer, Bangalore City, reporting on the Census taken on the night of the 31st December 1900.

(ENCLOSURE TO THE ABOVE.)

Letter No. 195, dated the 21st January 1901, from the Chief Plague Officer, Bangalore City, to the Plague Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.

I have the honor to state that as sanctioned by the Plague Commissioner in his docket No. 2582, dated 13th December 1900, a Census of the population of the City was taken on the night of the 31st December 1900 and to submit herewith a divisionwar statement showing the number of people according to classes and sex in each of the seven Divisions into which the City is divided. An abstract showing the number of houses of various descriptions in the City as well as the number of people according to occupation and castes, is also appended.

The seven Divisions of the City were divided into twenty-eight blocks and twenty sub-blocks and were supervised by forty-eight supervisors or, as they are now styled, Sub-Registrars. For the purpose of the Census every supervisor was helped by an official kindly lent by the President of the Municipality and a Police constable. For the latter help I am indebted to the Deputy Commissioner. The house-owners' lists were distributed on or about the 25th of the month, which were collected together duly filled and signed on the night of the Census. Compared with the last Census taken in June 1900, the work of the present one was found much easier; except those belonging to the railway premises, very few sheets remained uncollected on the night of the Census.

Since the last Census there has been a considerable falling off in the population on account of the plague, the total population on the day of the last Census being 67,993 against 75,424 on 1st June 1900, a reduction of nearly *7,500. The reduction is chiefly, if not entirely, noticed amongst Hindus. The following comparative statement shows the population according to the various communities :—

On the 1st of June and 31st December 1900, respectively—

	1st June 1900.	31st December 1900.
Europeans and Eurasians	705	745
Hindu	57,587	50,769
Mahomedans	9,045	9,207
Native Christians	2,008	2,130
Other castes	6,079	5,142
Total .	75,424	67,993

Amongst the various castes of the Hindus, the largest number consists of the Brahmins, *viz.*, 7,417. This community consists largely of persons in Government or private service who cannot easily or conveniently leave the City. They however avail themselves freely of the various Health Camps established by Government. Next to the Brahmins in point of number are the Devangas, who being mostly weavers cannot afford to leave the City in any large number. The Pariahs consisting mostly of labourers and mill-hands and the Tigiars come next. The Lingayats, who usually form a large community, appear to be conspicuously in the minority, so also the Vaisyas and Nagarthas owing to their absence from the City. They form the principal tradesmen in the City. The Ganigars also appear to have left in large numbers. It may be, however, mentioned that not a few of these latter communities daily attend their usual avocations in the City, residing as they are within easy distances outside.

The following statement compares the population in the various Divisions on the 1st June and 31st December, respectively :—

	1st June 1900.	31st December 1900.
Malleswaram Division	2,265	2,352
Palace Division I	7,536	7,821
Division II	12,737	11,043
Do III	18,582	16,059
Do IV	12,072	10,474
Do V	5,521	4,247
Do VI	9,647	8,974
Do VII	7,064	7,023
Total ..	75,424	67,993

*A castewar statement of deaths and births during the period is submitted herewith, from which it would appear that there were 3,033 more deaths than births. There were 1,630 plague deaths during the period.

According to occupation the largest number belongs to labouring classes, *viz.*, 10,390, weavers, Government servants and cultivators come next. The number without any occupation consisting mostly of women and children amounts to 26,872. Of the total number of houses in the City, *viz.*, 16,337, there are no less than 10,036 mud-roofed and 2,752 tiled and 1,752 terraced. The rest consists of the thatched houses or kutcha huts and sheds.

Statement showing the number of births and deaths that took place between 1st June and 31st December 1900.

	Number of deaths.	Number of births.
Europeans	4	7
Eurasians	19	38
Agasale	22	9
Brahmin	520	190
Devanga	214	66
Ganigar	36	26
Gollar	36	18
Jain	8	3
Korachar	40	19
Kumbar	19	22
Kurubar	74	48
Kshatriya	2	..
Mahratta	182	62
Mudaliar	102	93
Madigar	161	42
Nagarthar	42	22
Naidu	72	29
Pattegar and Katri	544	182
Pariah	160	54
Savaji	12	2
Sivachar	99	46
Tiglar	72	34
T. Banajigar	68	15
Vanniar	62	39
Vokaligar	102	45
Vaisya	93	62
Other Hindus	85	12
Mahomedans	510	140
N. Christians	124	126
Total ..	*3,484	1,451

* Of these 1,680 were due to plague.

Census taken on the night of 31st December 1900, Bangalore City.

Division.	Block Nos.	Number of Houses.	Inmates.											
			Europeans and Eurasians.			Hindus.			Mahomedans.			Native Christians.		
			M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.
Malleswaram Division ...	I	171	...	..	...	289	255	220	10	14	6	12	8	12
	I A	168	2	3	2	314	320	263	57	51	60	9	8	9
	II	170	3	3	6	81	82	67	43	41	48	23	15	16
Palace Division No. I ...	III A	864	44	31	13	1,050	589	603	448	625	490	126	166	158
	III B	76	17	11	5	589	85	54	81	5	2	20	...	...
	IV A	302	...	...	...	501	430	320	38	32	27	12	18	16
	IV B	241	11	44	9	258	228	183	14	11	15	61	76	54
II Division ...	V	419	13	15	1	601	447	294	57	23	14	8	11	...
	VI A	322	...	...	...	407	383	258	2	2	1	...	...	...
	VI B	357	...	...	...	622	599	401	...	...	...	...	...	...
	VII A	418	...	...	...	607	653	417	1	1	...	...	...	...
	VII B	250	...	...	...	421	437	274	28	10	25	...	...	...
	VIII A	432	...	...	...	415	377	251	47	34	25	5	3	7
	VIII B	558	86	106	91	597	518	337	130	95	108	39	44	30
III Division	IX A	375	...	...	...	618	606	353	7	9	5	10	17	11
	IX B	426	...	...	...	725	667	583	33	18	25	...	...	...
	X A	560	...	...	...	264	251	135	99	52	37	...	...	...
	X B	527	...	...	..	352	317	207	85	78	67	1	...	...

Census taken on the night of 31st December 1900, Bangalore City.—*continued.*

Division.	Block Nos.	Number of Houses.	Inmates.										Remarks.
			Other Castes.			Grand Total.				Inoculated or not.			
			M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	Total.	Once.	Twice or oftener.	Not.	
Malleswaram Division ...	I	171	...	...	...	311	277	238	826	...	...	826	
	I A	168	...	...	...	382	382	334	1,098	...	...	1,098	
	II	170	...	...	...	150	141	137	428	...	...	428	
Palace Division No. I ...	III A	864	...	...	...	1,668	1,411	1,264	4,343	879	131	3,333	
	III B	76	12	...	...	719	101	61	881	227	82	572	
	IV A	302	...	...	...	551	480	363	1,394	...	...	1,394	
	IV B	241	86	89	64	430	448	325	1,203	120	18	1,065	
II Division ...	V	419	135	151	92	814	647	401	1,862	...	...	1,862	
	VI A	322	...	...	...	409	385	259	1,053	...	...	1,053	
	VI B	357	97	101	55	719	700	457	1,876	...	...	1,876	
	VII A	418	...	...	...	608	654	417	1,679	10	...	1,669	
	VII B	250	...	...	...	452	447	297	1,196	...	...	1,196	
	VIII A	432	...	...	...	467	414	283	1,164	...	...	1,164	
	VIII B	558	13	11	9	865	774	574	2,213	...	...	2,213	
III Division ...	IX A	375	...	...	...	635	632	369	1,636	...	...	1,636	
	IX B	426	63	79	61	821	764	669	2,254	...	...	2,254	
	X A	560	...	...	...	363	303	172	838	...	...	838	
	X B	527	14	6	3	452	404	277	1,130	...	...	1,130	

Census taken on the night of 31st December 1900, Bangalore City.—*continued.*

Division.	Block Nos.	Number of Houses.	Inmates.											
			European and Eurasians.			Hindus.			Mahomedans.			Native Christians.		
			M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.
III Division	XI A	312	...	...	...	415	410	152	260	229	219	3	5	5
	XI B	365	2	1	1	521	481	401	196	173	164	1	2	...
	XII A	476	...	...	...	173	191	146	309	251	207	108	91	105
	XII B	456	6	2	1	956	844	591	49	38	29	9	6	2
	XII C	372	6	6	8	496	473	309	34	37	31	4	2	2
	Magadi Camp	97	...	2	...	86	105	63	13	15	17	12	12	10
IV Division	XIII A	372	...	...	...	349	377	207	2	3	2	...	...	...
	XIII B	372	...	...	...	815	821	632	56	45	43	3	3	...
	XIV	341	...	...	...	571	594	482	12	7	10	1	2	...
	XV	360	...	...	...	483	494	412	65	53	35	126	124	119
	XVI A	308	...	...	...	479	446	271	82	86	61	31	32	16
	XVI B	303	...	...	...	632	638	511	74	74	48	5	7	2
V Division	XVII A	280	...	...	...	249	276	179	102	104	86	1	1	...
	XVII B	356	...	...	...	140	139	86	43	40	24	...	...	...
	XVIII	221	...	...	...	210	239	173	132	125	100	...	...	...
	XIX	292	...	...	...	309	305	182	111	119	77	5	5	4
	XX	304	...	...	...	167	163	124	61	59	33	20	11	5

Census taken on the night of 31st December 1900, Bangalore City.—*continued.*

Division	Block Nos.	Number of Houses.	Inmates.										Remarks.
			Other Castes.			Grand Total.				Inoculated or not.			
			M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	Total.	Once.	Twice or oftener.	Not.	
III Division	XI A	312	...	...	...	700	644	376	1,728	...	...	1,728	
	XI B	365	...	...	...	720	657	566	1,943	...	...	1,943	
	XII A	476	219	192	181	809	725	639	2,173	...	...	2,173	
	XII B	456	45	21	24	1,065	911	647	2,623	14	8	2,606	
	XII C	572	...	...	...	540	518	341	1,399	...	...	1,399	
	Magadi Camp	97	...	...	...	111	134	90	335	1	...	334	
IV Division	XIII A	372	...	...	...	351	380	209	940	...	...	940	
	XIII B	372	2	2	...	876	871	675	2,422	...	...	2,422	
	XIV	344	10	10	5	594	613	497	1,704	...	...	1,704	
	XV	360	...	...	...	674	671	566	1,911	...	...	1,911	
	XVI A	308	...	...	...	592	564	350	1,506	4	...	1,502	
	XVI B	303	...	...	...	711	719	561	1,991	...	...	1,991	
V Division	XVII A	280	...	...	...	352	381	265	998	...	...	998	
	XVII B	386	...	...	...	183	179	111	473	...	...	473	
	XVIII	221	...	...	...	342	364	273	979	...	...	979	
	XIX	292	11	9	17	436	438	280	1,154	...	...	1,154	
	XX	304	...	...	...	248	233	162	643	...	...	643	

Census taken on the night of 31st December 1900, Bangalore City.—*continued.*

Division.	Block Nos.	Number of Houses.	Inmates.											
			Europeans and Eurasians.			Hindus.			Mahomedans.			Native Christians.		
			M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.
VI Division	XXI A	307	...	...	...	383	388	303	68	65	56	9	12	19
	XXI B	329	9	13	5	190	167	124	75	61	64	...	...	...
	XXII	411	...	...	...	296	306	178	56	61	38	...	...	...
	XXII A	304	8	15	5	264	222	197	120	118	101	29	31	31
	XXII B	473	3	6	1	88	80	96	18	21	21	...	—	...
	XXIII	239	...	...	...	326	347	291	56	50	42	...	...	...
	XXIV	361	...	...	...	252	299	179	31	28	44	...	...	...
III Division	XXV	223	35	26	18	284	246	172	39	32	20	25	16	16
	XXVI A	307	...	...	...	575	550	470	8	5	5	...	...	...
	XXVI B	91	...	...	...	134	130	147	1	...	...	...	...	...
	XXVII A	118	2	6	10	272	239	280	92	70	44	8	3	2
	XXVII B	391	...	...	...	279	258	201	...	...	...	...	...	...
	XXVII C	267	...	...	...	270	214	180	...	...	...	...	...	...
	XXVIII ... —	260	10	7	9	358	274	199	109	130	79	6	5	7
	Total ...	16,337	263	297	185	19,662	17,957	13,750	3,454	3,090	2,663	734	736	660

Census taken on the night of 31st December 1900, Bangalore City.—*concluded.*

Division.	Block Nos.	Number of Houses.	Inmates.										Remarks.
			Other Castes.			Grand Total.				Inoculated or not.			
			M.	F.	Ch.	M.	F.	Ch.	Total.	Once.	Twice or oftener.	Not.	
VI Division	XXI A	307	17	18	27	477	481	405	1,365	...	...	1,365	
	XXI B	329	286	241	211	560	482	404	1,446	...	...	1,446	
	XXII	411	94	130	76	446	494	292	1,232	...	...	1,232	
	XXII A	304	79	79	88	500	465	422	1,387	11	...	1,376	
	XXII B	473	324	431	468	431	538	586	1,555	...	...	1,555	
	XXIII	239	...	...	...	382	397	333	1,112	...	...	1,112	
	XXIV	361	20	13	11	203	340	234	877	...	...	877	
VII Division	XXV	223	159	98	83	533	418	309	1,260	285	81	944	
	XXVI A	307	32	35	43	615	590	518	1,723	460	62	1,201	
	XXVI B	91	...	...	...	135	130	147	412	...	...	412	
	XXVII A	118	41	28	17	431	346	353	1,120	130	17	973	
	XXVII B	391	...	...	...	279	258	201	738	357	175	206	
	XXVII C	267	...	...	...	270	214	160	664	106	8	550	
	XXVIII	260	5	4	4	388	420	296	1,104	74	25	1,007	
	Total ...	16,337	1,755	1,848	1,539	25,968	23,928	18,197	67,993	2,678	552	64,763	

NOTE.—All under ten *shall* be returned as children.

ABSTRACT.

I. No. of houses in the Bangalore City—

	No.
Tiled	2,752
Thatched	860
Sheds	429
Mud-roofed	10,036
Huts	508
Terraced	1,752
Total ...	16,337

II Occupation—

	No.
1. Persons in Government service ...	4,999
2. Do in private do ...	2,961
3. Tradesmen	2,953
4. Weavers	7,079
5. Other artisans	1,635
6. Labouring classes	10,390
7. Raiyats	3,509
8. Other occupations	7,663
9. Without do	26,872
Total ...	67,993

III. CASTES.

	Males.	Females.	Children.	Total.
A. Europeans	180	214	127	521
B. Eurasians	83	83	58	224
C. Hindus—				
1. Agasula	271	264	188	723
2. Brahmin	3,009	2,593	1,815	7,447
3. Devanga	1,473	1,665	1,452	4,590
4. Ganigar	115	101	182	398
5. Gollar	585	353	401	1,339
6. Jain	52	28	18	98
7. Korachar	211	173	86	470
8. Kumbar	43	38	20	101
9. Kurubar	685	697	436	1,818
10. Kshatriya	264	221	165	650
11. Mahratta	990	596	438	2,024
12. Mudaliar	680	577	367	1,624
13. Madigar	411	392	346	1,149
14. Nagarthar	146	174	174	496
15. Naidu	420	379	229	1,028
16. Pattegar and Katri	1,118	1,058	780	2,956
17. Pariah	1,536	1,495	1,255	4,286
18. Savaji	51	43	38	132
19. Sivachar	655	691	328	1,674
20. Tiglar	1,404	1,242	984	3,630
21. Telugu Banajigar	1,290	1,282	889	3,461
22. Vanniar	360	287	244	891
23. Vokaliga	1,222	1,237	640	3,099
24. Vaisya	363	293	158	814
25. Other Hindus	2,306	2,078	1,517	5,901
D. Mahomedans	3,454	3,090	2,663	9,207
E. Native Christians	734	756	660	2,150
F. Other Castes	1,755	1,818	1,539	5,142
Total ...	25,888	23,928	18,197	67,993

No. Pg. 934, dated Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

Order thereon—Recorded.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Plague Commissioner in Mysore.

Ixd.—C. V.

READ—

Letter No. 3186, dated the 21st January 1901, from the Plague Commissioner in Mysore to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

I have the honor to state that the one lakh of rupees placed at my disposal in Government Proceedings No. 153-4, dated 6th September 1900, for expenditure in connection with plague preventive measures during the current year, was allotted to the several disbursers as detailed in the margin, leaving only a balance of Rs. 11,371-3-3 at my disposal.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Balance left out of the one lakh of rupees sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. Pg. 837-8, dated 6th January 1900 (on 1st September 1900).	4,306	11	4
Amount sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 153-4, dated 6th September 1900.	1,00,000	0	0
Total amount available	1,04,306	11	4
Deduct the amount placed at the disposal of the several disbursers—			
1 Senior Surgeon	12,500	0	0
2 The President, City Municipality, Bangalore ...	13,942	0	0
3 The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore ...	3,018	0	0
4 Do Tumkur ...	1,360	0	0
5 The President, City Municipality, Mysore ...	51,980	0	0
6 The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore ...	3,250	0	0
7 Do Hassan ...	1,250	0	0
8 Do Shimoga ...	5,500	0	0
9 The Chief Engineer in Mysore ...	195	8	1
Total amount placed at the disposal of the disbursers ...	92,935	8	1
Balance on 30th January 1901 ...	11,371	3	3

2. As the President, City Municipality, Mysore, has now applied for Rs. 24,500 and as some more applications for funds are pending, I request the favor of your obtaining the sanction of Government for a further grant of one lakh of rupees to be placed at my disposal to enable me to comply with the requisitions from the Deputy Commissioners and other disbursers under para 3 of Government Proceedings No. 3082-94—Fl. 313, dated 26th October 1898. This, I may add, is the second lakh that is applied for, for allotment during the current year out of the Budget grant of Rs. 3,25,000.

No. PG. 924-5, DATED BANGALORE, 30TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Sanctioned.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Plague Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Exd.—C.V.

EDUCATION

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ—

Letter No. 5183—230, dated 14th December 1900, from the Inspector General of Education in Mysore.

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with Order No. 7611-12—Ed. 259, dated 1st December 1900, Mr. Ismail Sheriff, Assistant Deputy Inspector of Hindustani Schools, West Circle, will be retired with effect from 1st January 1901, and Mr. B. H. Mahomed Beg, B. A., has been appointed in his place. By Order No. 12763-64 —Ed. F. 49-96, dated 6th April 1898, the Assistant Deputy Inspector has to address the Deputy Inspector on all points relating to the schools in his charge, the latter officer obtaining orders from the Inspector General on all important matters connected with the Hindustani Schools in the State. This procedure has been in force till now, but it has been attended by many inconveniences and delays. As the correspondence of the Assistant Deputy Inspector has to pass through the office of the Deputy Inspector of Hindustani Schools, there is very often considerable delay in obtaining orders from the Inspector General. Moreover, it has been practically found that either the Deputy Inspector who is in immediate charge of the schools in the East Circle is unable to give any opinion on the proposals of the Assistant Deputy Inspector who is in charge of all the schools of the West Circle, or his opinion is not of much value, as he has found it impracticable to inspect all the schools of the East Circle and also to visit schools in the West Circle and therefore has little or no personal knowledge of the state of things in the West Circle. As an Assistant Deputy Inspector, who has the same educational qualifications as the Deputy Inspector has now been appointed to the West Circle, I propose to allow the Assistant Deputy Inspector to correspond with the Inspector General direct, in order to facilitate despatch of work and also to render the Assistant Deputy Inspector solely responsible for the state of the schools in the West Circle. The divided responsibility at present weakens the hands of the Assistant Deputy Inspector. I request, therefore, that Government will be good enough to approve of the alteration I propose in the division of work between the Deputy Inspector and the Assistant Deputy Inspector, the former being placed in charge of all the Hindustani Schools of the East Circle and the latter of all Hindustani Schools in the West Circle.

2. The schools of the West Circle are as important and almost as numerous as those of the East Circle. Under these circumstances I would prefer to place each Circle under a Deputy Inspector, but defer making such a proposal to a more favorable occasion when Government will be more likely to sanction the small increase of expenditure that is necessary.

No. 8655-56—Ed. F. 49-96, DATED BANGALORE, 5TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The proposal made in the letter read above is sanctioned.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts*

To—The Inspector General of Education in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

READ—

Letter No. 4983—223, dated 7th December 1900, from the Inspector General of Education in Mysore.

I have the honor to inform you that Government have been pleased to sanction in the State Fund budget of 1900-1901 an increase of Rs. 15 to the monthly grant of the Wesleyan Mission Siddikatte Girls' School, Bangalore, for the purpose of granting scholarships to girls studying in the V Class. The Reverend J. A. Vanes, Manager of the School, now represents that on account of the plague the attendance in the Siddikatte School has gone down and he fears that there will not be a sufficient number of girls in the V Class to avail themselves of the scholarships. He therefore requests permission to utilise the amount of scholarships, if need be, also in the neighbouring Wesleyan Mission Girls Schools at Mavalli and Nagarthpetta in Bangalore, for girls of the V Class. I recommend that his request may be granted, so long as the total amount of Rs. 15 sanctioned is not exceeded. The grant will be drawn on a separate bill and will be considered as provision for scholarships in all Wesleyan Mission Kannada Girls' Schools in Bangalore City.

No. 8652-53—Ed. 296, dated Bangalore, 5th January 1901.

Order thereon—Under the circumstances represented, the Government a pleased to authorise the sanctioned grant of Rs. 15 being utilised as a te porary measure in awarding scholarships to the girls of the V Class of any the Wesleyan Mission Kannada Girls' Schools in Bangalore City.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Inspector General of Education in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Read—

Letter from the Inspector General of Education in Mysore, No. 5585—243, dated 24th December 1900.

With reference to Order No. 8176-7—Ed. 279, dated 17th December 1900, I have the honor to inform you that the acting arrangements stated in my letter No. 3943—181, dated 2nd November 1900, were those which the Principal of the Maharaja's College himself had proposed in the exercise of the powers of patronage given to him by Order No. 24799-802—G. 6289, dated 28th June 1895. My own views regarding the acting arrangements were different, with the exception of the acting appointment of Mr. T. Denham as Principal. I now state my proposals after consulting Mr. Denham and request that Government may be pleased to sanction them at their earliest convenience, as the College will re-open on the 14th January 1901. I am clearly of opinion that the acting arrangements should be made without importing an outsider if no one of superior qualifications to those of Mr. T. R Ramanadha Iyer, can be brought in for a temporary period. Mr. Weir taught both English and Mathematics. It will be quite possible to arrange for the work of all classes without any detriment to the interests of the College by appointing Mr. M. Krishnaiengar, B. A., Head Master of the Channapatna High School, who is good in both English and Mathematics, as an additional Assistant Master of the College during Mr. Weir's absence on leave. The English work of the College classes, if Mr. Krishnaiengar is appointed as an additional Assistant, will be shared between Mr. A. E. Adolphus, B. A., Mr. B. Dasappa, B. A., and Mr. M. Krishnaiengar, B. A. Similarly the Mathematical work of the College classes will be shared between Mr. G. Kasturi Iyengar, M. A., Mr. H. R. Krishnamurti, B. A., and Mr. M. Krishnaiengar, B. A. Under these circumstances I recommend that Mr. M. Krishnaiengar, B. A., may be appointed to act as an Assistant Master, Maharaja's College, during Mr. Weir's absence on leave.

2. I am not in favor of calling Mr. G. Kasturi Iyengar, M. A., Acting Professor of Mathematics, as there is no special appointment of that name. Each of the teachers named above will do higher work for a time, than they have hitherto done. I shall therefore be glad if Government are pleased to sanction monthly allowances as follow during Mr. Weir's absence on leave from the date of the re-opening of the College in January :—

		Rs.
	Mr. A. E. Adolphus, B. A.	75
	„ C. Kasturi Iyengar, M. A.	50
	„ B. Dasappa, B. A.	50
	„ H. R. Krishnamurti, B. A.	30
and	„ M. Krishnaiengar, B. A.	30

No. 8921-23—Ed. 323, dated Bangalore, 12th January 1901.

Order thereon—The appointment of Mr. Denham to act as Principal of the Maharaja's College, Mysore, with the allowance recommended, having already been sanctioned, the present proposals which relate to other acting appointments rendered necessary during Mr. Weir's absence, are also sanctioned in modification of those approved in Government Proceedings No. 8176-7—Ed. 279, dated 17th December 1900.

2. With regard to the observation of the Inspector General of Education that his own views regarding the acting arrangements first proposed were different from those of Mr. Weir, it is observed that although by Government Order of 28th June 1895, No. 24799-802—G. 6289, the Principal of the Maharaja's College was vested with certain powers of nomination, &c., there is nothing in it to prevent the Inspector General, when making a reference to Government, from expressing his own opinion on the proposals of the Principal of the Maharaja's College, Mysore, leaving the matter for the consideration and final orders of Government.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts*

To—The Inspector General of Education in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Principal, Maharaja's College, Mysore.

JUDICIAL

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ AGAIN—

Government Proceedings No. 10542-3—J. 1039, dated the 22nd March 1900, sanctioning with certain observations, the payment for a period of three months, of an allowance of Rs. 4 per mensem to 1st class constable Gundappa for doing the clerical work of the Tumkur District Lock-up establishment.

READ—

Letter No. 364—J., dated the 20th December 1900, from the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore, forwarding a copy of a letter from the District Magistrate, Tumkur, stating that owing to delay in the transfer of a competent dafadar from the Police Department for duty in the District Lock-up, constable Gundappa was employed on the clerical work in question up to the 15th September last; and recommending that under these circumstances the payment to him of the allowance of Rs. 4 per mensem up to 15th September 1900, may be sanctioned as a special case.

No. 8709—J. 978, DATED BANGALORE, 8TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Government regret their inability to comply with the request of the Inspector General of Prisons.

2. The District Magistrate, it is observed, has from the commencement shown his reluctance to carry out the orders of Government.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

READ—

Letter No. 324, dated the 24th September 1900, from the Inspector General of Registration in Mysore, submitting the Report on the working of the Registration Department in the Mysore State for the year 1899-1900.

No. 9512—J. 1062, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Seven new Special Sub-Registry offices were opened during the year, raising the total number of such offices to 57. The number of offices left in charge of Taluk Sheristadars as *Ex-officio* Sub-Registrars, was thus reduced to 24.

2. The number of documents registered during the year was 50,962, being an increase of 28·4 per cent over the number of registrations during the previous year. The aggregate value of transactions affecting both immoveable and moveable properties was Rs. 1,44,31,784 or about 40½ lakhs more than in 1898-99. The receipts likewise rose to Rs. 1,11,333 from Rs. 89,181 in 1898-99, while the expenditure amounted to Rs. 70,892, leaving a net surplus of Rs. 40,442 in favor of the Department. The surplus for the preceding year (1898-99) had dwindled down to Rs. 22,441 owing to the widespread prevalence of the bubonic plague, and the figures given above for the year under review afford satisfactory evidence of the revival of activity in trade, consequent on the subsidence of that dire disease.

3. The number of insufficiently stamped documents impounded during the year, was 252 against 224 in 1898-99, the amount of deficient stamp duty and penalty recovered thereon being Rs. 1,547 against Rs. 1,055 in the preceding year.

4. Out of the 50,962 documents registered during the year, 27,895 or 55 per cent were registered on the very day of presentation, 17,755 or 35 per cent were registered within two days, 2,281 or 4 per cent within four days and the remaining 3,031 or 6 per cent within periods varying from five days to one month and over. The delay in the last class is reported to have been due partly to the laches of the parties themselves and partly to references having had to be made by the Sub-Registrars to District Registrars on doubtful questions of Registration fees, stamp duty, &c.

5. There were during the year under review three criminal prosecutions involving four persons, of whom three were convicted for false personation, the fourth being punished for false identification. Such fraudulent practices point to the desirability of taking finger impressions on registered documents, about which separate orders will issue.

6. Government note that there was a slackening of the important work of inspection, for which no explanation is afforded. Of the 81 Sub-Registry offices, 16 were inspected by the Inspector General of Registration and 47 by District Registrars or by their Assistants, leaving 18 offices uninspected at the end of the year as compared with 3 in 1898-99.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Inspector General of Registration in Mysore.

Exd. – C.V.

LEGISLATIVE

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dated the 4th January 1901.

No. 8625—*Legis.* 68.—The Government of Mysore are pleased, under Section 3 of the Mysore Factories Regulation, IV of 1892—

(1) to appoint the following officers to be Inspectors of Factories :—

(a) the District Medical Officer, for all factories, not being railway factories, situated within the district in which he is employed, all Sub-Divisional Magistrates, and all Magistrates subordinate to the District Magistrate within the meaning of the Code of Criminal Procedure, for all factories, not being railway factories, situated within the limits of their ordinary jurisdiction ; and

(b) the Assistant to the Chief Engineer or Deputy Chief Engineer, for all railway factories, other than factories on lines within the jurisdiction of the British Government ; and

(2) to declare that—

(a) every Inspector, other than the *ex officio* Inspector, whose jurisdiction is limited to a district or part of a district shall be officially subordinate to the Magistrate of the District to which he is appointed : and

(b) the Assistant to the Chief Engineer or Deputy Chief Engineer shall be officially subordinate to the Chief Engineer.

No. 8626—*Legis.* 69.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Section 18 of the Mysore Factories Regulation, IV of 1892, the Government of Mysore are pleased to prescribe the following rules :—

1. All references to "the Regulation" or "the Factories Regulation" in these rules are to be understood as referring to the Mysore Factories Regulation, IV of 1892.

2. A register of Factories in Form A annexed to these rules shall be maintained by each District Magistrate for all factories, other than railway factories, within his district and by the Assistant to the Chief Engineer or Deputy Chief Engineer for all railway factories, other than factories on lines within the jurisdiction of the British Government. In these rules the words "registering Inspectors" mean and include these Inspectors only.

3. On the publication of these rules the registering Inspector shall give notice to the manager or occupier of every factory within his jurisdiction intimating his intention of placing such factory upon his Register of Factories (Form A).

4. Any person served with a notice under Rule 3 whose premises do not fall within the definition of a factory given in the Regulation, may, within fifteen days of the receipt of such notice, forward to the registering Inspector a statement setting forth his objections to the registration of his premises as a factory. The registering Inspector shall consider and dispose of such objections after making such inquiry as he may deem necessary, and shall make up his register of factories in accordance with the provisions of the Regulation.

5. The registering Inspector may at any time serve a notice, as provided in Rule 3, upon the occupier of any factory which is not already entered in his register of factories, and the provisions of Rule 4 shall apply to the subsequent proceedings in all such cases.

6. When any premises cease to be occupied as a factory, the occupier may give notice of the fact to the registering Inspector, who shall, if satisfied that the Regulation is no longer applicable to such premises, remove them from his register of factories.

7. It shall be the duty of every occupier of a factory—

(1) to fence all machinery and mill-gearing in such a manner as to provide for the safety of the operatives ;

(2) to provide a supply of not less than two gallons of water *per diem* for each operative; of this one half at least must be suitable for drinking and the remainder for washing purposes;

(3) to arrange for the proper ventilation of the factory so that each operative shall have a sufficient quantity of air; in the case of walled-in masonry buildings the *minimum* space provided for each person shall be 36 superficial feet, 500 cubic feet and 10 square feet of lateral ventilating opening, and in cases in which lateral ventilation cannot be contrived, sufficient supply of fresh air shall be ensured by forced ventilation or such other means as are considered suitable by the Inspector, or, if this cannot be effected, a *minimum* of 54 superficial feet and 900 cubic feet shall be provided for each person,

(4) to provide suitable and sufficient latrines and urinals, the former containing at least one seat for every 50 operatives, separate accommodation of this nature being provided for female operatives when any are employed;

(5) to ensure that the factory is generally in a clean and wholesome condition.

8. Every factory shall be inspected by an Inspector as often as may be deemed sufficient, but it shall be inspected at least three times in every calendar year if the factory is open for more than eight months in the year, at least twice if it is open for not more than eight months in the year, and at least once if it is not open for more than four months in the year. At the inspection the Inspector shall muster all children employed on the premises, examine all registers required to be kept under the Regulation or these rules and see that all orders respecting the secure fencing of machinery and mill-gearing and respecting the water-supply, the ventilation and the sanitation of the factory and the accommodation provided therein are observed, and generally that the provisions of the Regulation and the rules made thereunder are being duly carried out.

9. An Inspector may enter a factory for the purpose of Section 1 of the Regulation at any time during the day or night according as work is being carried on therein by day or night, but he shall not examine the children employed therein for the purpose of verifying the registers kept under Section 9 of the Regulation except during working hours.

10. The result of each inspection and all orders and remarks made by the Inspector on the occasion of inspection shall be recorded in the Register of Factories (Form A). When the inspecting officer is not the registering officer, a copy of the record of inspection shall be sent to that officer in view to the insertion of the necessary particulars in the Register of Factories.

11. A copy of every order passed by an Inspector under Section 4 (*c*) or Section 12 (*c*) of the Regulation or under these rules in respect of the matters referred to in clauses (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) of Section 18 (1) of the Regulation and of any remarks made by him on the occasion of each inspection, shall be transmitted to the occupier of the factory, or in his absence to the principal agent in charge of the factory, within twenty-four hours of the same being passed. The despatch through the post, under registered cover, of a copy of such orders and remarks shall be deemed to be sufficient service on the occupier of the factory of any directions contained therein. When the inspection is not performed by the registering Inspector, a copy of any orders or remarks passed should be sent to that officer.

12. Every order for the fencing of any part of the machinery or mill-gearing of a factory which an Inspector may pass under Section 12 (*c*) of the Regulation and any direction given under these rules with reference to clauses (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) of Section 18 (1) of the Regulation shall state clearly what is required and shall specify a reasonable time within which what is required to be done shall be completed, and shall further give notice that, if it shall not be so completed, the person responsible for the breach of the order will be prosecuted under Section 15 of the Regulation.

13. The occupier of a factory shall, if required by an Inspector, bring before him, on the occasion of inspection, all children employed in the factory and any other persons employed in the factory whom the Inspector may wish to see.

14. Certifying Surgeons under Section 5 of the Regulation shall grant certificates in the Form B appended. Forms of certificate in counterfoil will be supplied to certifying Surgeons.

15. Every occupier of a factory shall keep a file of all certifying Surgeons' certificates relating to persons in his employ and shall produce it when required by an Inspector. Every such certificate shall be returned by such occupier on demand to the parent or guardian of the person to whom it relates on his leaving the factory for other employ.

16. Every occupier of a factory shall keep registers in Form C, D and E attached to these rules, and no such register shall be destroyed or removed from the factory without the written permission of an Inspector.

17. In addition to the notice required by Section 10 (1) of the Regulation, every occupier of a factory shall set up and maintain in a conspicuous place in the factory a printed or written notice, in English and Kannada, in Form F appended, of the daily working hours of the factory.

An alternative form is provided to meet the case of factories working on the shift system in which the hours of the shifts are substituted for those of opening and closing work. In factories where the shift system is adopted for a part of the year only, the register will be maintained in either of the alternative forms as may be necessary.

18. Any occupier of a factory on whom an Inspector serves an order under Section 12 (c) of the Regulation may, within seven days after receipt of such order, appeal to the Magistrate of the District.

Appeals from orders passed by District Magistrates in their capacity as *ex officio* Inspectors shall lie direct to the Government of Mysore. There shall be no further appeal from an order passed by the aforesaid appellate authorities, but the Government of Mysore may review any order mentioned in this rule either of an Inspector or of an appellate authority and may issue any orders thereon which may seem proper. In order that effect may be given to the latter part of this rule, copies of all the orders referred to herein shall be transmitted to the Government of Mysore as soon as they are passed.

19. An appeal under the preceding Rule 18 shall be made in the form of a memorandum of appeal in Form G bearing a stamp fee as regulated by Article 7 of Schedule II of the Mysore Court Fees Regulation, III of 1900, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the order appealed against.

20. The appeal shall be heard at as early a date as may be convenient, and due notice of the date of hearing shall be given to the appellant and the Inspector.

21. If the order of an Inspector under Section 12 (c) of the Regulation is set aside or modified in appeal, the Inspector shall, as early as possible, deliver to the occupier of the factory such amended order as may seem to him to be required.

22. Notice of all accidents resulting in death or from which the injury is evidently so severe that there is no reasonable hope that the injured person will be able to return to his work within 48 hours, shall be given on the same day on which they occur. Notice of accidents of a less severe character, but which nevertheless prevent the person injured from returning to his work within 48 hours of the occurrence, shall be given immediately on the expiry of the 48 hours' interval allowed by Section 13 of the Regulation. Such notices shall be sent both to the nearest Magistrate having local jurisdiction, and also to the District and Sub-Divisional Magistrate (where there is such a Sub-Divisional Magistrate) within whose jurisdiction the factory is situated and also to the registering Inspector. Notice of fatal injuries shall at the same time be given at the nearst Police station as required by Section 45 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, as introduced into Mysore by Regulation I of 1886. All such notices shall contain full particulars of the accident and shall be sent by special messenger except in the case of the copy to the Inspector which may be sent by post. This notice shall be in Form H appended.

23. A copy of these rules and of the forms appended with a translation thereof in Kannada, shall be kept hanging in a conspicuous place in each factory.

FORM A.

(*Vide* Rules 2 and 10 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7				8		9	10
Serial No.	Name and description of factory.	Village and taluk wherein situated.	Name of resident manager.	Name of proprietor.	Date of inspection.	Number of persons at work at date of inspection.				Number of children mustered at inspection.		Whether registers C, D and E and the file of certificates in Form B are kept.	Whether (1) Form F under Rule 17, (2) a copy of the rules as required by Rule 22 and (3) the notice required by Section 10 of the Regulation are put up in a conspicuous place.
						Adults.		Children.					
						Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		

11	12	13				14		15	16	17	18	19
Whether the machinery is properly fenced or not.	State of water-supply, ventilation, sanitation and accommodation.	Number of persons employed at the end of the year under report.				Maximum number of hands employed on any day during the year.		Nature and amount of moving-power employed.	Whether the shift system is in force, if so, the date of the order establishing it.	Periods of shifts where the system is in force.	Whether factory has been exempted from the rules against Sunday labor, if so, the date of the notification exempting it.	* Remarks.
		Adults.		Children.								
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Adults.	Children.					

* [NOTE.—In column 19 will be entered particulars of accidents, &c.]

No. _____

Date the _____ day of _____ 19

Name of person examined _____

Son of / Daughter of _____

Residing at _____

Name and locality of factory at which to be employed _____

Age certified _____

(Signed) _____

Certifying Surgeon.

FORM B.

(*Vide* Rule 14 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Certificate under Section 5 of the Mysore Factories Regulation.

No. _____

Dated the _____ day of _____ 19

I hereby certify that I have this day examined—

Name _____

Son of / Daughter of _____

Residing at _____

who is / desirous of being employed in the _____ (state name and locality of factory)

and I consider him / her to be above 9 or 14 / below 9 or 14, *i.e.*, about _____ years of age.

(Signed) _____

Certifying Surgeon.

Form C.

(*Vide* Rule 16 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Factory Register of Children admitted to employment in _____

Name and locality of factory _____

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Serial No.	Name of child.	Sex.	Name of parent or present guardian.	Parent's or guardian's residence.	Age on admission as given by parent or guardian or certified by certifying Surgeon.	Nature of employment.	Date of first admission.	Name of certifying Surgeon (if any) and number and date of his certificate.	Date of termination of employment or discharge.	*Remarks.

* Note.—The purport of any order passed by the Inspector regarding the child should be here entered.

Form D.

(*Vide* Rule 16 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Weekly Muster Register for Children.

Name of factory.

Department of factory.

1	2	3	4	5	6							7
Serial No.	Name of child and number on factory register.	Sex.	Age.	Occupation.	Number of hours during which employed on each day.							Total number of days employed.
					1	2	3	4	5	6	7	

8							9	10	11
Time of opening and closing work on each day.							Rate of wages per week.	Amount earned.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7			

Note.—(Hours should be given for each child on each day.)

Form E.

(*Vide* Rule 16 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Weekly Muster Register for Women.

Name of factory.

Name of department.

1	2	3	4							5	6							7
Serial No.	Name of woman and number on factory register.	Occupation.	Number of hours during which employed on each day.							Total number of days employed.	Time of opening and closing work on each day.							*Remarks.
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	

*Note.—[In column 7 should be entered such particulars (among others) as these; whether the shifts system is in force; whether Sunday labor is allowed; whether the factory has been exempted from the effect of clauses (1), (2) and (3) of Section 6 of the Regulation under clause (4) of the same section.]

FORM F.

(*Vide* Rule 17 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Form of Register of hours of employment.

Hours of commencing and closing work daily.	
Commencing.	Closing.

Alternative form for use where the shift system is in force.

Number of shifts in the 24 hours.	Period of each shift.

FORM G.

(*Vide* Rule 19 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Memorandum of Appeal.

(Name)_____ Appellant, Owner (occupier or manager) of_____ Factory *situated at*_____, in Taluk of , District of .

The said_____ above named, appeals to the District Magistrate of _____ against the order of _____Esq., Inspector of Factories, dated the day of _____ for the following reasons, namely [here state the grounds of objection].

FORM H.

(*Vide* Rule 22 of the Rules framed under the Mysore Factories Regulation.)

Form of Notice of Accident occurring in a Factory.

To_____

Sir,

I_____beg hereby to give notice under Section 13 of the Mysore Factories Regulation that an accident occurred in the Factory of_____at_____o'clock this day causing _____ to the persons mentioned below :—

Name.	Caste.	Sex.	Age.	Nature of injury.

2. The accident was caused by_____.

3. The injured persons are under treatment by _____ (or have been removed to the hospital at_____).

I have, &c.,

_____

Dated_____

Manager.

No. 8627—Legis. 70.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (2), Section 18, of the Mysore Factories Regulation, 1892, the Government of Mysore have been pleased to make the following rule :—

Every occupier of a factory shall furnish to the Magistrate of the District, the undermentioned returns on or before the dates specified against each :—

I.—On or before the 15th July and the 15th January, respectively, a half-yearly return relating to the first and second-half of each calendar year in the following form :—

Name and situation of factory.	Name of owner or occupier.	Name of manager.	Nature of industry.	Nature and amount of moving power.	Average daily number of operatives employed.				Whether the factory is worked by shifts or stoppages, if the latter the hour and extent of daily stoppage.	Whether there is a general holiday on Sunday, or on varying week days, or whether the factory has been exempted from the rule as to Sunday labor under Section 5 B (1), clause (c), of the Regulation.	Remarks.
					Adults.		Children.				
					Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			

N. B.—The average daily number of children is to be taken from the register of children kept in the factory.

II.—On or before the 15th January of each year, an annual return in the following form regarding measurements and space:—

Name and situation of factory.	Name of occupier.	Measurements and cubical contents of each room in the factory.	Area of the floor space of any room shown in the preceding column occupied by machinery or other fixtures.	Remarks.

III.—Before the end of each calendar month, a return giving notice of all the days on which the factory will be closed during the ensuing month.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Departments.

LOCAL FUNDS

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ —

Letter No. 316, dated 15—16th November 1900, from the President of the District Fund Board, Kadur Circle, requesting sanction to the Local Fund Board's proposal to admit the excess outlay amounting to Rs. 3,014, incurred by the Public Works Department under "A. Public Works" during the year 1899-1900.

2. Letter No. 5461, dated 7th December 1900, from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, stating, with reference to this office docket No. 7736—L. F. 21-1900, dated 5th idem, that the correct excess expenditure incurred by the Public Works Department on District Fund Works during 1899-1900, in the Kadur Circle, was Rs. 2,876. and not Rs. 3,014.

No. 8574-76—L. F. 21-1900, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—From the statement received with the Examiner's letter read above, it appears that the actual excess outlay incurred by the Public Works Department on District Fund works in the Kadur Circle during 1899-1900, is Rs. 2,876 only, as per details noted in the margin. The excess expenditure is sanctioned and the Comptroller authorized to admit the same in the accounts of 1899-1900.

Sub-heads.		Sanctioned grant.	Expenditure incurred.	Excess outlay.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Original Works	...	2,937	3,352	415
Repairs ...	...	25,790	27,626	1,836
Establishment ...	...	4,951	5,421	470
Tools and plant	...	..	155	155
Total	...	33,678	36,554	2,876

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President of the District Fund Board, Kadur Circle.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

READ—

Letter No. 553, dated 11th December 1900, from the President of the District Fund Board, Tumkur Circle, submitting for sanction a list of District Fund works, which remained incomplete at the end of 1899-1900 and requiring Rs. 5,297-1-2 for their completion during the current year, and stating that a provision of Rs. 4,000 exists in the current year's District Fund budget for the same and that the balance Rs. 1,297-1-2 will be included in the revised District Fund budget to be submitted shortly.

No. 8581-82—L. F. 41-99, DATED BANGALORE 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The President is authorized to push on to completion the incomplete District Fund works at a cost not exceeding Rs. 5,297-1-2.

2. The early submission of the promised revised District Fund budget providing for the excess cost of Rs. 1,297-1-2 over the provision of Rs. 4,000 existing in the budget sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 13479-84—L. F. 41-99, dated 20th June 1900, will be awaited.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President, District Fund Board, Tumkur Circle.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, with copy of the list of works.

Statement of works carried out of District Funds that remained incomplete at the close of the year 1899-1900 in the Tumkur District.

District.	Taluk or sub-taluk.	Village.	Name of work.	Government Order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate.	Amount spent up to end of June 1900.	Balance to be spent during the current year.	Remarks.
					Rs.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Tumkur.	Tumkur ...	Kyathsandra	Filling in manure pits	List of sanctions for March 1900 ...	108	.....	108 0 0	
		Mavukere	Rivetting the sides of the well at(—) ...	List for January 1900	248	86 12 0	161 4 0	
		Devarayadrug	Repairing the mantap on the Devarayadrug Hill for a musafirkhana.	G. O. No. 10876-8—L. F. 30-97, dated 8th March 1898.	710	500 2 0	209 14 0	
		Herehalli to Holakal	Opening a cart-track from	G. O. No. 4599-600—L. F. 15-95, dated 25th October 1895.	1,985	1,016 6 5	968 9 7	
		Heggere	Sinking a fresh water well for Holeyars.	List for March 1900	77	.....	77 0 0	
		Aregujjanahalli	Sinking a fresh water well	List for March 1896	123	.....	123 0 0	
				Total ...	3,251	1,603 4 5	1,647 11 7	
	Maddagiri ...	Kodigenahalli	Improving the sanitation	List for May 1899	100	56 0 0	44 0 0	
		Chikkadalavatta	Sinking a fresh water well... ...	List for January 1900	434	227 0 0	207 0 0	
		Badavanahalli	Ditto	G. O. No. 19887-8—L. F. 14-93, dated 21st May 1894.	784	272 4 8	511 11 4	
		Maddagiri to Kodigenahalli ...	Repairing the cart-track from— ..	List for March 1898	499	419 5 0	79 11 0	
				Total ...	1,817	974 9 8	842 6 4	

Tumkur—continued.

Koratagere sub-taluk.	Thorhunase	Repairing the Gokatte near the Police Station at (—).	List for March 1900	178	92 13 8	82 3 4	
	Teeta	Sinking a fresh-water well	G. O. No. 21100-101—L. F. 273-92, dated 1st June 1893.	478	121 12 0	356 4 0	
			Total ...	656	217 8 8	438 7 4	
Chiknayakanhalli ...	Settikere	Filling in a ditch	G. O. No. 13685-6—L. F. 14-93, dated 6th February 1894.	189	.....	189 0 0	
	Chiknayakanhalli to Mathigatta ...	Improving the cart-track from— ...	By President	400	.....	400 0 0	
	Gowdanahalli	Ditto	List of sanctions for May 1900 ...	112	.....	112 0 0	
			Total ...	701	.....	701 0 0	
Sira	Idigardasarahalli	Sinking a fresh-water well	List for June 1900	224	68 13 4	155 2 8	
	Hulikunte	Ditto for Madigars	List for April 1896	118	.....	118 0 0	
			Total ...	342	68 13 4	273 2 8	
Tiptur	Pitchenahalli	Sinking a fresh-water well	List for March 1895	445	324 2 0	120 14 0	
	Kanathur	Ditto	List for January 1900	200	51 0 0	149 0 0	
	Honnavalli	Widening the existing entrance into—	List for January 1900	150	.....	150 0 0	
			Total ...	795	375 2 0	419 14 0	

Statement of works carried out of District Funds that remained incomplete at the close of the year 1899-1900 in the Tumkur District—*concluded.*

District.	Taluk or sub-taluk.	Village.	Name of work.	Government Order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate.	Amount spent up to end of June 1900.	Balance to be spent during the current year.	Remarks.
					Rs.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Tumkur—concluded.	Turuvekere sub-	Honakere	Filling in Fort trench	List of sanctions for February 1900 ...	68	.....	68 0 0	
		Turuvekere	Fixing stone parapets to the road at the tank kodi.	List for May 1896	200	.....	200 0 0	
				Total ..	268	.....	268 0 0	
	Pavagada ...	Doddahalli to Hosakota	Improving the cart-track from— ...	List for October 1899	497	336 14 3	160 1 9	
		Karekyathanahalli	Sinking a fresh-water well	List for March 1900	125	24 0 0	101 0 0	
				Total ...	622	360 14 3	261 1 9	
	Kunigal ...	Holalagunda	Ditto	List for May 1896	250	198 1 0	51 15 0	
		Byadrahalli	Constructing a stone mantap at— ...	List for May 1896	496	235 9 6	260 6 [illegible]	
		Kothigere	Filling in manure pits	List for April 1899	34	.....	34 0 0	
		Kattigehalli	Sinking a fresh-water well	List for December 1899	99	.....	99 0 0	
				Total ...	879	433 10 6	445 5 6	
				Grand Total ...	9,331	4,033 14 10	5,297 1 2	

READ—

Correspondence ending with letter No. 343, dated 4th December 1900, from the President of the District Fund Board, Kadur Circle, submitting a list of Local Funds General works remaining incomplete at the end of 1899-1900, and requesting sanction to a grant of Rs. 9,743 for their completion during the current year.

No. 8632-33—L. F. 15-99, DATED BANGALORE, 5TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—From the correspondence read above it would appear that all the works included in the list are those that were sanctioned since 1896-97, from which year grants aggregating Rs. 26,376 have been sanctioned by Government as noted in the margin. As out of this, Rs. 13,842 have been spent leaving a balance of Rs. 12,534 allowed to lapse up to the end of 1899-1900, Government are pleased to sanction the renewal of the lapsed grant to the extent of Rs. 9,793. The President is requested to push on to completion the incomplete works of previous years before the end of the current official year.

Years.	Sanctioned grants.	Amount spent.	Amount lapsed.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1896-97	3,650	1,490	2,160
1897-98	10,812	4,018	6,824
1898-99	8,500	3,138	5,362
1899-1900	3,384	5,196	—1,812
Total ...	26,376	13,842	12,534

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President, District Fund Board, Kadur Circle, with the list of works.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

READ—

Letter No. 343, dated 22nd November 1900, from the President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields, submitting the revised budget estimates of receipts and expenditure of the Circle for 1900-1901.

No. 8659-64—L. F. 17-99, DATED BANGALORE, 7TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The receipts of the Gold Fields Circle, as estimated for 1900-1901, amount to Rs. 15,140 against Rs. 31,773, the sanctioned estimate for 1899-1900.

2. The total amounts expected to be collected within the Circle under mohatarfa and cattle-pounds were Rs. 8,929 and Rs. 940, respectively, in 1899-1900. It has not been explained why reduced estimates of Rs. 8,000 and Rs. 500, respectively, have been proposed. The omission should be supplied; butpending information, the estimates will be retained.

3. The present budget anticipates no revenue from fees from shandy gates against an estimate of Rs. 1,334 sanctioned for 1899-1900, as no shandy has as yet been erected and its completion within the year is doubtful.

4. Under the head of "Loans" no estimate is entered in the present budget against Rs. 20,000 sanctioned in 1899-1900. In regard to this omission, it should be stated, with reference to para 1 of this office docket No. 5494—17-99, dated 18th October 1900, what portion of the loan of Rs. 20,000 sanctioned by Government was drawn and utilised during 1899-1900. If the loan has been fully or partly drawn, provision should be made on the side of expenditure in the annual budgets to meet the instalment of Rs. 2,000 payable towards the principal plus interest at 4 per cent per annum under para 2 of Proceedings No. 5301-2—L. F. 17-99, dated 3rd November 1899.

EXPENDITURE.

5. *A. Public Works, I. Original Works.*—The provision made under this head is for the construction of slaughter-houses, a shandy enclosure and quarters for the Sanitary Inspector and Sanitary Overseer, and is passed.

6. *B. Public Works to be executed by Revenue Department.*—The correct provision that has to be entered on account of the supervision of the works to be undertaken by the Revenue agency is Rs. 430 and not Rs. 400 as entered in the budget. The former figure will be adopted and the estimate under this head raised accordingly.

C. CIVIL CHARGES.

7. *I. Office Establishment.*—The present budget newly provides for the salary of a deputy clerk on Rs. 15 + 10 per mensem, whose employment was proposed in President's No. 291, dated 17th October 1900, and also Rs. 100 for furniture, the provision for contingencies being reduced from Rs. 350 to Rs. 120. The estimate is passed.

8. *Conservancy Establishment and Charges.*—The President provides afresh Rs. 1,152 on account of a moiety of the cost of the sanitary establishment sanctioned in Proceedings No. 11262-5—L. F. 114-92, dated 1st April 1896, for the special sanitation of the Kolar Gold Fields, but omits as unnecessary the provision for a Sanitary Inspector of Rs. 100+20 sanctioned for 1899-1900, without assigning any reason therefor. The addition of the item of Rs. 1,152 is in accordance with the Board's Resolution, dated 2nd November 1900. The provision is allowed.

9. *III. Sweepers to Musafirkhanas.*—The provision newly made for the care-takers of the Haji's Chattram and Lokanath Mudaliar's Chattram is in accordance with the Board's Resolution, dated 2nd November 1900, and is approved.

10. *Lighting.*—The provision made under this head includes Rs. 300 on account of lighting lamps. But details showing the number of lamps to be lit and the monthly cost of lighting each have not been furnished. The omission should be supplied. Meanwhile, the estimates will stand.

11. The correct total of the details given under Civil charges is Rs. 10,038 and not Rs. 10,338 as erroroneously entered in the budget statement. The correct figure will be adopted in the budget.

12. The other items call for no remarks and are passed.

13. The budget estimates of Receipts and Expenditure of the Kolar Gold Fields Circle for 1900-1901 are sanctioned as per details given in the accompanying appendices, of which an abstranct is given below :—

	Rs.
1. Opening balance ...	... 25,462
2. Estimated Receipts for 1900-1901	... 15,140
Total Including Balance	... 40,602

EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	Rs.
A. Public Works to be executed by Public Works Department ...	23,500	38,518
B. Do by Revenue do ...	4,980	
C. Civil Charges	10,038	
Closing Balance ...		2,084

14. From the above, it appears that the closing balance is less than the prescribed minimum by Rs. 1,701. Every endeavour should be made to maintain the usual balance by effecting savings in the sanctioned items unless the actual balance on 1st July 1900 according to the Comptroller's final account should happen to exceed the estimate adopted in the budget by Rs. 170.

15. The Government regret to observe that there was considerable delay in the submission of the budget. As it is highly important that the annual budgets should be issued before the commencement of the year to which they relate, the President is requested to see that they are submitted so as to reach this office on or before 31st January of the year preceding that to which they relate.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields Circle.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Chief Engineer in Mysore.
The Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore.
The Inspector General of Education in Mysore.
The Sanitary Superintending Engineer, through the Chief Engineer.

Revised consolidated Budget estimates of Receipts and Expenditure under

RECEIPTS.

Items.	Details of Receipts.	Sanctioned estimate for 1900-1909. For eight months.	Estimate for 1900-1901. As sanctioned.	Remarks.
		Rs.	Rs.	
I	Seventy-six per cent of one anna cess on land revenue creditable to Sanitary Board.	1,192	2,040	
II	Entire mohatarfa that may be collected within the area of the Kolar Gold Fields, Sanitary Circle.	5,953	8,000	
III	Sale of stray cattle	467	100	
IV	Fees collected at shandy gates	1,334	...	
V	De from slaughter houses	2,667	4,000	
VI	Collection from cattle-pound	160	400	
VII	Sale proceeds of manure	...	100	
VIII	Miscellaneous receipts such as license fees, &c....	...	500	
IX	Loan from Government	20,000	...	
	Total ...	31,773	15,140	
	Opening Balance on 1st July 1900 ...	...	25,462	
	Grand Total ...	31,773	40,602	

the Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Board Circle for 1900-1901.

EXPENDITURE

Items.	Details of Expenditure	Sanctioned estimate for 1899-1900. For seven months	Estimate for 1900-1901. As sanctioned.	Remarks.
		Rs.	Rs.	
A	Public Works to be executed by Public Works Dept.—			
	I Original works	15,500	20,000 *	
	II Repairs	...	...	
	III Establishment	...	3,500	
	Total, A ..	15,500	23,500	
B	Public Works to be executed by the Board—			
	I Original works	3,000	3,500	
	II Repairs	1,500	800	
	III Establishment (supervision)	...	430	
	IV Tools and plant	...	250	
	Total, B ...	4,500	4,980	
C	Civil Charges—			
	I Office establishment	385	850	
	Do contingencies	350	120	
	Do furniture, &c.	...	100	
	Total ...	735	1,080	
	II Conservancy establishment	3,430	4,680	
	Do contingencies	...	480	
	Do cart hire	420	720	
	Moiety of cost of former sanitary establishment ...	...	1,152	
	Total ...	3,850	7,032	
	III Sweepers to Musafirkhanas—			
	Pay of care-taker for Haji's Chattram	...	96	
	Do for Lokanatham Mudaliar's Chattram ...	...	72	
	Total ...	...	168	
	IV Lighting Charges—			
	Cost of new lamp-posts and lanterns to be purchased ...	...	500	
	Do to be paid to contractor	...	294	
	Cost of lighting lamps	...	300	
	Total ...	...	1,094	
	V Miscellaneous—			
	1 Commission to pound-keepers	...	20	
	2 Cost of feeding impounded cattle	...	20	
	3 Destruction of cover for snakes	...	15	
	4 Advertisement charges	...	109	
	5 Unforseen expenses	...	500	
	Total ...	...	664	
	Total, C ...	4,585	10,038	
	Total, A, B & C ...	24,585	38,518	
	Estimated Closing Balance ...	7,188	2,081	
	Grand Total ...	31,773	40,602	

* This will not be reached unless work is started at once by the Public Works Department.

ENCLOSURE A—Statement showing the Assets upon which the Local Cess has been calculated in the Sanitary Circle of the Kolar Gold Fields for 1900-1901.

Details.	Assets on which the cess is calculated as per jamabandi of 1898-99.	One anna cess on the assets entered in column 2.	Seventy-six per cent of the sum in column 3.	Probable arrears at beginning of year for which estimate is submitted.	Total of columns 4 and 5.	Estimate of cess for 1900-1901.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Cess charges on—							
(a) Land Revenue of assessed lands.	23,98 5 0	1,493 1 7	1,129 4 4	54 0 4	1,183 11 8	1,500 0 0	
(b) Value of inams whether they pay any jodi or not.	2,164 13 8	429 9 0	326 9 0	.....	326 9 0	430 0 0	
(c) Sayer and sanitary circle ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
D. Miscellaneous—							
1. Amarayi	386 10 0	24 2 4	14 10 4	.....	14 10 4	25 0 0	
2. Kuranga stones ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Chunam kiln	2 0 0	0 2 0	.....	.....	.....	0 2 0	
4. Hulbanni	398 5 9	24 14 6	17 9 0	.....	17 9 0	24 14 0	
5. Other items	297 4 4	65 9 10	49 14 0	.....	49 14 0	60 0 0	
Total ...	27,129 6 9	2,037 7 3	1,537 14 8	54 0 4	1,592 6 0	2,040 0 0	

I *A. Public Works.*—Statement showing the Public Works to be executed by the Sanitary Public Works Department, in the Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Circle during the year 1900-1901.

No.	Particulars.	Estimated amount.	Remarks.
		Rs. a. p.	
1	Erecting two slaughter houses at Ooregum shandy	4,000 0 0	
2	Erecting a shandy enclosure at Ooregum	8,000 0 0	
3	Constructing a Sanitary Inspector's quarters	5,000 0 0	
4	Ditto two Overseers' quarters at Rs. 1,500 each	3,000 0 0	
	Total ...	20,000 0 0	
5	Establishment cost	3,500 0 0	
	Grand Total ...	23,500 0 0	

I *B. Public Works.*—Statement showing the original Public Works to be executed by the Sanitary Board in the Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Circle.

No.	Particulars.	Estimated amount.	Remarks.
		Rs. a. p.	
1	Acquiring lands in villages	430 0 0	For extension of village sites to relieve congestion where necessary.
2	Constructing V-shaped drains and roads in Ooregum village ...	1,000 0 0	
3	Pounds for cattle	500 0 0	
4	Tools and plant	250 0 0	
5	Roads	1,000 0 0	
6	Cost of establishment	430 0 0	
	Total ...	4,180 0 0	

B. II.—Statement showing the details of repairs to be executed by the Sanitary Board out of Funds of Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Circle during the year 1900-1901.

No.	Particulars of repairs.	Estimated amount.			Remarks.
		Rs.	a.	p.	
1	Repairing a well in Ooregum new shandy place near Plague Hospital ...	59	7	10	
2	Repairing a well in Ooregum old shandy place near Police lines ...	30	5	2	
3	Repairing a well at Belganahalli	30	11	0	
4	Miscellaneous repairs	129	8	0	
5	Repairing Hajee's chattram in Marikuppam Mines	250	0	0	
6	Repairing cattle-pound at ditto	300	0	9	This pound has to be completely rebuilt.
	Total ...	800	0	0	

C. I.—Statement showing the details of Civil Charges in the Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Circle for the year 1900-1901.

Items.	Details of items.	Sanctioned estimate for seven months in 1899-1900.			Sanctioned estimate for 1900-1901.			Remarks.
		No.	Rate per month.	Amount.	No.	Rate per month.	Amount.	
I	Office establishment.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
	(a) 1. Head Clerk and accountant ...	1	35+10	315	1	35+10	540	
	2. Deputy clerk	...	...	...	1	15+10	200	For eight months.
	3. Peon	1	10	70	1	10	120	
	(b) Office contingencies, &c. ...	...	50	350	...	10	120	
	(c) Do furniture	...	...	...	...	...	100	
	Total ...	...	...	735	..	...	1,080	
II	Conservancy establishment—							
	(a) 1. Sanitary Inspector ...	1	200+20	1,540	1	100+20	1,440	
	2. Do Overseers ...	2	40 each	560	2	40 each	960	
	3. Do peons	3	10 do	210	3	10 do	360	
	4. Do totis	20	8 do	1,120	20	8 do	1,920	
	5. Cart-hire to remove rubbish ...	4	15 do	420	2	30 do	720	
	6. A moiety of the cost of former sanitary establishment	...	...	...	...	96 per month	1,152	
	7. Contingent charges for conservancy establishment for purchasing brooms, baskets and tools, &c.	...	...	lump sum.	...	...	480	
	Total ...	...	...	3,850	...	...	7,032	
III	Sweepers to Musafirkhanas—							
	Care-takers to Hajee's chattram ...	...	...	...	1	8	96	
	Do to Loganatham Mudaliar's chattram.	...	...	...	1	6	72	
	Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	168	
	Total C, I, II and III ...	...	...	4,585	...	...	7,128	

C. IV.—Miscellaneous—Lighting Charges.

Details.	No.	Amount	Remarks.
		Rs.	
Cost of purchasing new lamp-posts and lanterns	20	500	
Do nine lamp-posts and lanterns, &c., already purchased	9	294	Sanctioned in last year, paid for this year.
Do Lighting lamps	...	300	
Total ...	...	1,094	

C. V.—Miscellaneous.

Items.	Details of items.	Sanctioned estimate for 1899-1900.			Sanctioned estimate for 1900-1901.			Remarks.
		No.	Rate per mensem.	Amount.	No.	Rate.	Amount.	
			Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
	1. Commission to pound-keepers	...	...	...	...	...	20	
	2. Cost of feeding impounded cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	20	
	3. Cost of destruction of cover for snakes ...	...	...	...	...	...	15	
	4. Unforeseen expenses	...	...	...	...	...	500	
	5. Advertisement charges	...	...	...	...	...	109	
	Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	664	

READ —

Letter No. 394, dated 26th November 1900, from the President of the District Fund Board, Kolar district, submitting two lists of incomplete works, one relating to Local Funds General and the other to District Funds, and requesting sanction to grants of Rs. 8,594-7-6 and Rs. 26,078-6-8 from Local Funds General and District Funds, respectively, for the completion of the works during the current official year.

No. 8856-7—L. F. 40-99, DATED BANGALORE, 11TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The grant applied for by the President for completing the District Fund incomplete works is sanctioned, the charge being met from the provision made therefor in the supplemental District Fund budget which is now under examination.

2. As to the question of funds for Local Funds General works, orders will be passed on receipt of further information separately called for.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President, District Fund Board, Kolar.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, with copy of statement.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

List of incomplete works of District Funds requiring appropriation for completing the works during 1900-1901.

No.	Name of the work.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount spent.	Amount required to complete the work.	Remark
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
	Head office.				
1	Repairing the furniture of the President's office, to be paid.	28 0 0	.....	28 0 0	
	Kolar Taluk.				
1	Sinking a well at Sugatur	450 0 0	344 4 4	105 11 8	
2	Do Mangasandra	679 0 0	152 0 0	527 0 0	
3	Do Kallahalli	500 0 0	443 1 0	56 15 0	
4	Do Kalahastipura	350 0 0	290 0 10	59 15 2	
5	Do Chikhasala	250 0 0	197 13 6	52 2 6	
6	Do Huthur	450 0 0	333 12 2	116 3 10	
7	Do between Pindipapamballi and Pichurlupalli.	322 0 0	39 6 0	282 10 0	
8	Improving cart-track from Vakkaleri to Tyakal ...	450 0 0	.....	450 0 0	
9	Do between Kolar and Chintamani via Sugatur.	271 0 0	132 6 8	138 9 4	
10	Constructing a tunnel on the above road ...	132 0 0	.....	132 0 0	
11	Removing prickly-pear at Hogari	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
	Total ...	4,004 0 0	1,932 12 6	2,071 3 6	
	Bowringpet Taluk.				
1	Sinking a well at Kondenahalli	245 0 0	34 7 0	210 9 0	
2	Do Hukkunda	290 8 0	25 8 0	265 0 0	
3	Do Hulkur	200 0 0	25 4 0	174 12 0	
4	Do Magere	198 0 0	.....	198 0 0	
5	Do near musafirkhana at Bowringpet	363 0 0	110 8 0	252 8 0	
6	Do at Vakrepalli	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
7	Do Doddamarchalli	199 0 0	.....	199 0 0	
8	Do Thimmenahalli	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
9	Do Budikote	372 0 0	.....	372 0 0	
10	Do Angathatihalli	195 0 0	.....	195 0 0	
11	Constructing a lodge at Gattakamadenhalli ..	450 0 0	.....	450 0 0	
12	Do bridge over the waste weir of Oorogum tank.	350 0 0	.....	350 0 0	
13	Do parapet wall to the well at Kethaganhalli.	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
14	Removing prickly-pear at Budikote	250 0 0	.....	250 0 0	
	Total ...	3,662 8 0	195 11 0	3,466 13 0	
	Chintamani Taluk.				
1	Sinking a well at Heripalya	477 0 0	401 1 3	75 14 9	
2	Do Dandupalya	350 0 0	74 12 0	275 4 0	
3	Do Jogenahalli	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
4	Do Munganahalli	280 0 0	153 8 0	126 8 0	
5	Do Nimkayalpalli	350 0 0	262 6 0	87 10 0	
6	Opening road from Chintamani to Murugamale ...	300 0 0	31 5 6	268 10 6	
	Total ...	1,807 0 0	923 0 9	883 15 3	

List of District Funds incomplete works, &c.—*continued.*

No.	Name of the work.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount spent.	Amount required to complete the work.	Remarks.
	Mulbagal Taluk.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
1	Opening a road from Tayelur to Guttahalli ...	499 0 0	73 4 0	425 12 0	
2	Do Gangaya Yadamalakunte to join Mulbagal-Ramasandra road.	600 0 0	431 2 0	168 14 0	
3	Improving well at Ambbical	40 0 0	.....	40 0 0	
4	Do Jogalkasti	125 0 0	100 0 0	25 0 0	
5	Sinking a well at Rajagondlahalli	165 0 0	.....	165 0 0	
6	Do Byrakur	140 0 0	100 0 0	40 0 0	
7	Do Doddagurki	147 0 0	.....	147 0 0	
8	Do Gokunte	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
9	Do Davarayasandra	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
10	Do Mindahalli	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
11	Repairing well at Doddagurki	69 0 0	.....	69 0 0	
12	Removing prickly-pear at Channagarahalli ...	20 0 0	.....	20 0 0	
13	Do Mattakamasundra ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
14	Do Ganjkunta	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
15	Do Guttahalli... ..	75 0 0	.....	75 0 0	
16	Do Avani	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
17	Do Kurudamale ...	100 0 0	.....	100 0 0	
18	Do Sivanarahalli ...	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
19	Do Gollahalli	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
	Total ...	2,500 0 0	704 6 0	1,855 10 0	
	Sidlaghatta Taluk.				
1	Sinking a well at Talakayalabetta	300 0 0	246 13 0	53 3 0	
2	Do Kundalgurki	400 0 0	73 0 0	327 0 0	
3	Do Gambiranahalli	492 0 0	121 0 0	371 0 0	
4	Improving a well at Marihalli	180 0 0	143 0 0	37 0 0	
5	Do Jangamkote travellers' bungalow.	420 0 0	387 2 0	32 14 0	
6	Do Timmasandra	150 0 0	138 0 0	12 0 0	
7	Musafirkhana at Ganjigunte	1,275 0 0	1,258 0 0	17 0 0	
8	Do Koncharlahalli	1,275 0 0	310 0 0	965 0 0	
9	Opening conservancy lanes in the village ...	250 0 0	170 6 0	79 10 0	
10	Improving kunte at Belloti	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
11	Do well near Motamakalahalli travellers' bungalow.	333 0 0	236 6 0	96 10 0	
	Total ...	5,275 0 0	3,083 11 0	2,191 5 0	
	Chikballapur Taluk.				
1	Constructing bathing ghat at Srinivasasagara ...	1,800 0 0	.....	1,800 0 0	
2	Do tunnel on the road leading to Mandikal.	250 0 0	.....	250 0 0	
3	Sinking a well at Sabbanahalli	250 0 0	228 0 0	22 0 0	
4	Repairing Local Fund chattram	600 0 0	527 7 4	72 8 8	
5	Do Mandikal road	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
6	Repairing well at Gerahalli	200 0 0	166 1 0	33 15 0	

List of District Funds incomplete works, &c.—*continued.*

No.	Name of the work.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount spent.	Amount required to complete the work.	Remar
	Chikballapur Taluk—continued.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
7	Improving Attimankunte	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
8	Do Anjaneyaswamikunte	300 0 0	.....	300 0 0	
9	Opening road from Sabbanahalli to Dibbur ...	350 0 0	100 4 6	249 11 6	
10	Do Bellary high road to Peresandra ...	300 0 0	.....	300 0 0	
11	Village conservancy at Mashtur, Dinnehosahalli, &c.	125 0 0	65 0 0	60 0 0	
	Total ...	4,575 0 0	1,086 12 10	3,488 3 2	
	Bagepalli Taluk.				
1	Opening a road from Bagepalli to Gulur ...	600 0 0 200 0 0	650 0 0	150 0 0	
2	Do do to Watathahosahalli ...	2,000 0 0	1,500 7 9	499 8 3	
3	Constructing musafirkhana at Chelur ...	1,000 0 0	720 0 0	280 0 0	
4	Sinking a well at Kaganpalli	250 0 0	200 0 0	50 0 0	
5	Repairing a well at Chakvelu Police Station ...	250 0 0	12 8 0	237 8 0	
	Total ...	4,300 0 0	3,082 15 9	1,217 0 3	
	Goribidnur Taluk.				
1	Constructing musafirkhana at Vatadahosahalli ...	1,000 0 0	.....	1,000 0 0	
2	Do steps to Vidurasvate	499 0 0	.....	499 0 0	
3	Do mantapam to Somasittenhalli ...	497 0 0	.....	497 0 0	
4	Improving musafirkhana at Goribidnur ...	456 0 0	440 0 0	16 0 0	
5	Repairing a well at Hosur	100 0 0	.....	100 0 0	
6	Constructing a latrine to the musafirkhana at Goribidnur.	137 0 0	.....	137 0 0	
7	Opening roads in Hosur village	495 0 0	.....	495 0 0	
8	Do at Manchanahalli	438 0 0	.....	438 0 0	
9	Constructing dust-bins at Manchanahalli and other villages.	237 0 0	.....	237 0 0	
	Total ...	3,859 0 0	440 0 0	3,419 0 0	
	Srinivaspur Taluk.				
1	Sinking a well at Dalasanur	497 0 0	181 8 0	315 8 0	
2	Removing prickly-pear at Chaldiganahalli ...	65 11 0	.....	65 11 0	
3	Musafirkhana at Srinivaspur	4,000 0 0	1,826 7 6	2,173 8 6	
4	Well sunk at Kallur	400 0 0	390 0 0	10 0 0	
5	Do Yeldur	480 0 0	.....	480 0 0	
6	Do Pulgurkote	300 0 0	.....	300 0 0	
7	Do Chintamakalpalli	80 0 0	.....	80 0 0	
8	Removing prickly-pear at Somayachalpalli ...	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
9	Do Rayalpad hobli	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
10	Well at Nihattur	170 0 0	.....	170 0 0	
11	Do Kottahudya	146 0 0	96 2 0	49 14 0	
	Total ...	6,438 11 0	2,494 1 6	3,944 9 6	

List of District Funds incomplete works, &c.—*concluded.*

No.	Name of the work.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount spent.	Amount required to complete the work.	Remarks.
	Malur Taluk.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
1	Opening road from Tyakal to Railway Station ..	198 0 0	145 5 0	52 11 0	
2	Sinking a well at Nonamangala since transferred to Ramasundra.	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
3	Do Hunasekote	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
4	Constructing Irish drains in Hossur-Tirupati road.	1,000 0 0	750 0 0	250 0 0	
5	Do a tunnel on the road leading to Masti.	400 0 0	352 0 0	48 0 0	
6	Do a verandah to Masti musafirkhana .	400 0 0	200 0 0	200 0 0	
7	Removing prickly-pear at Tyakal	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
8	Do do Masti	100 0 0	54 0 0	46 0 0	
9	Musafirkhana at Chiktirupati	1,000 0 0	532 6 0	467 10 0	
10	Repairing well near musafirkhana at Tyakal ...	75 0 0	.....	75 0 0	
11	Do road at Tirupati	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0	
12	Raising parapet wall to the well at Sivarpatna ...	65 0 0	.....	65 0 0	
13	Supplemental estimate for screen wall to the musafirkhana at Malur.	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
14	Constructing tunnel on Tirupati road ...	110 0 0	.....	110 0 0	
15	Do Irish drain to the halla across the road leading to Lakkur village.	250 0 0	.....	250 0 0	
16	Improving Gajagundla at Malur	499 0 0	.....	499 0 0	
	Total ...	4,727 0 0	2,033 11 0	2,693 5 0	
	Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.				
1	Opening road from Gudibanda to Yellodu-Addinarayanaswami hill.	400 0 0	211 0 0	189 0 0	
2	Opening road from Gudibanda to Bagepalli via Hampasundra.	499 0 0	163 4 0	335 12 0	
3	Removing prickly-pear at Gudibanda	100 0 0	48 12 0	51 4 0	
4	Sinking well at Gudibanda	498 0 0	226 16 0	271 6 0	
	Total ...	1,497 0 0	649 10 0	847 6 0	

ABSTRACT.

No.	Name of taluk.	Amount.
		Rs. a. p.
	Repairing the furniture of the President's office to be paid	28 0 0
1	Kolar	2,071 3 6
2	Bowringpet	3,466 13 0
3	Chintamani	863 15 3
4	Mulbagal	1,855 10 0
5	Sidlaghatta	2,191 5 0
6	Chikballapur	3,488 3 2
7	Bagepalli	1,217 0 3
8	Goribidnur	3,419 0 0
9	Srinivaspur	3,944 9 6
10	Malur	2,693 5 0
11	Gudibanda	847 6 0
	Total ...	26,078 6 8

READ—

Letter No. 256, dated 25th October 1900, from the President of the District Fun Board, Hassan Circle, soliciting sanction to the appropriation of Rs. 9,622 including esta blishment charges of Rs. 1,080 to complete during the current year the incomplete Loca Funds General works of previous years.

Also letter No. 326, dated 6th December 1900, from the same officer annexing statement* showing the tota grant from Local Funds General sanctioned by Government, th amount spent and amount allowe to lapse in 1898-99 and 1899-1900 and stating that the grant applic for in the above letter may be raised by Rs. 432 so as to include the cost of the pond worl to be executed at Hebbalu as proposed in his No. 325, dated 6th December 1900.

Year.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount spent.			Amount lapsed.		
	Rs.	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
1898-99	20,972	4,293	12	7	16,678	3	5
1899-1900	13,935	5,304	0	0	8,631	0	0

No. 9086-87—L. F. 15-99, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The renewal of the lapsed grant for the completion of the Local Funds General incomplete works of previous years at a cost of Rs. 10,054, will be sanctioned.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President of the District Fund Board, Hassan Circle, with copy of the state ment of incomplete works.

The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, with copy of ditto.

Statement showing works completed and works incomplete under Local Funds General requiring appropriation for 1900-1901.

Village.	Nature of work.	Government Order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate.	Amount expended up to end of June 1899.	Amount expended in 1899-1900.	Total amount expended up to end of June 1900.	Balance or amount required as appropriation for 1900-1901.	Remark.
	HASSAN.		Rs	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Hanumanthapura ...	Sinking a well	List of works for June 1900	497	228 6 0	261 15 4	490 5 4	306 0 0	Revised estimate will be submitted.
Gorur	Improving the sanitation... ...	Do	165	105 9 4	...	105 9 4	60 0 0	
		Total ...	...	...	...	...	366 0 0	
	ARSIKERE.							
Javagal	Sinking a well	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900 ...	465	221 0 0	...	221 0 0	499 0 0	Ditto.
Banavar	Do near the Old Taluk Cutcherry.	Government Order No. 11823-4—L. F. 54-97, dated 20th April 1899.	1,000	444 11 6	261 3 3	705 14 9	295 0 0	
Guddenhalli... ...	Ditto ...	List of incomplete works for June 1899-1900.	496	395 12 1	80 0 0	475 12 1	222 0 0	
Sathangere	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	399	117 5 4	...	117 5 4	380 0 0	
Mosale ...	Ditto ...	Ditto and Government Order No. 12311-2—L. F. 8-99, dated 2nd May 1900.	Revised. 584	47 4 1	496 10 6	543 14 7	41 0 0	
Banavar ...	Improving the well by the side of Bangalore-Honnavar road.	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900.	375	349 9 7	...	349 9 7	25 0 0	
Belavatnahelli ...	Sinking a well	Ditto ...	900	811 12 1	...	811 12 1	88 0 0	
Gumchikallubelli ...	Improving the well	Ditto ...	421	198 8 0	...	198 8 0	223 0 0	
Byrapur ...	Sinking a well	Government Order No. 12099-10—L. F. 15-99, dated 20th May 1900.	365	..	275 4 8	275 4 8	90 0 0	
Diggenahalli ...	Sinking a drawing well	Ditto No. 1219-20—L. F. 15-99, dated 26th July 1900.	464	...	235 3 6	235 3 6	229 0 0	
		Total ...	...	...	...	...	2,162 0 0	

	CHARKARAYAPATNA.							
Modanhalli	Sinking a well	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900	215	.....	.....	.....	215 0 0	
Nuggehalli	Improving the honda	Ditto	1,506	1,196 12 11	298 11 1	1,495 8 0	10 0 0	To pay arrears.
Madane	Improving the well	Ditto	149	.....	.....	.....	.....	The Amildar reports that this is unnecessary.
Madaba	Improving the pond	Ditto	400	230 6 0	60 14 0	291 14 0	110 0 0	
Ballur	Constructing a katte	Government Order No. 9507-8—L. F. 13-99 dated 20th February 1900.	228	.....	102 8 0	102 8 0	125 8 0	
Chikganni	Ditto	Ditto	423	.....	249 6 0	249 6 0	174 0 0	
Tumkur	Sinking a well	Government Order No. 10606-9—L. F. 15-99.	340	.....	322 15 0	322 15 0	18 0 0	
Sravanabelagola	Restoring the pond	Ditto No. 10883-6—L. F. 126-97, dated 30th March 1900.	2,250	.....	730 0 0	730 0 0	3,270 0 0	Revised estimate has been submitted for Rs. 8,800 and appropriation applied for Rs. 4,000 vide No. 167, dated 4th September 1900.
		Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,923 0 0	
	HOLE-NARSIPUR.							
Chowdenahalli	Sinking a well	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900.	352	202 14 4	89 2 2	292 6 0	60 0 0	
Kanumbadi	Ditto	Ditto	316	261 11 2	180 1 9	441 12 11	15 0 0	
		Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	75 0 0	
	ARKALGUD.							
Kampapur	Sinking a well	Ditto	463	380 4 0	68 9 4	448 13 4	382 0 0	
Magal	Improving the pond	Ditto	497	412 0 6	.....	412 0 6	85 0 0	
Hulkal	Improving the tank	Ditto	445	.....	273 0 0	273 0 0	172 0 0	
		Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	639 0 0	

Statement showing works completed and works incomplete under Local Funds General requiring appropriation for 1900-1901.—*concld.*

Village.	Nature of work.	Government Order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate.	Amount expended up to end of June 1899.	Amount expended in 1899-1900.	Total amount expended up to end of June 1900.	Balance or amount required as appropriation for 1900-1901.	Remarks.
			Rs.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
	MANJARABAD TALUK.							
Yeslur ...	Sinking a well	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900, Government Order No. 14293-4—L. F. 8-91, dated 11th April 1900.	Revised. 551	387 14 7	.....	387 14 7	164 0 0	
Nidagere ...	Improving a well	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900 ...	Revised. 429	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	229 0 0	
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	393 0 0	
	BELUR TALUK.							
Rajanasiryur ...	Sinking a well	List of incomplete works for 1899-1900 ...	495	.....	.....	.....	495 0 0	Amildar reports that this is unnecessary and one at Hebbal village is required separate reference will be made for sanctioning the transfer.
Keragodu ...	Ditto	Ditto	428	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Ramenahalli ...	Improving the pond	Ditto	489	.....	.....	.....	489 0 0	
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	984 0 0	

ABSTRACT.

	Rs. a. p.
Hassan	366 0 0
Alur	.....
Arsikere	2,162 0 0
Channarayapatna	3,923 0 0
Hole-Narsipur	75 0 0
Arkalgud	639 0 0
Manjarabad	893 0 0
Belur	981 0 0
Establishment charges at 10 per cent on Rs. 5,272	520 0 0
Ditto at 17½ per cent on Rs. 3,270 for restoring pond at Sravanabelagola which will be done through the Public Works Department.	560 0 0
Total ...	9,622 0 0
Pond work to be executed at Hebbalu	432 0 0
Grand Total ...	10,054 0 0

READ—

Letter No. 327, dated 6th December 1900, from the President of the District Fund Board, Hassan Local Fund Circle, reporting that Mr. Sahukar Venkatramaiya of Konanur, a non-official member of the District Fund Board, has absented himself from six consecutive meetings of the Board; and soliciting sanction to the removal of his name from the list of members, as the explanation tendered by him is unsatisfactory.

No. 9088-95—L. F. 18-97, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The reasons assigned for his absence from six consecutive meetings by the member, Mr. Sahukar Venkatramaiya, *viz.*, illness and family inconvenience, are vague and unsatisfactory. His name will, therefore, be removed from the list of District Fund members of Hassan Circle. The early submission of the name of a competent gentleman to fill up the vacancy will be awaited.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President of the District Fund Board, Hassan Circle.
The Presidents of other Local Fund Boards.

Exd.—C. V.

READ AGAIN—

Letter No. 804, dated the 17th November 1900, from the President of the District Fund Board, Bangalore Circle, submitting a statement of incomplete works requiring for their completion during the current year a grant of Rs. 9,693 from Local Funds General.

READ—

Letter No. 1002, dated the 22nd December 1900, from the same officer submitting, with reference to this office docket No. 7409—L. F. 29-00 of the 27th November 1900, a revised list of incomplete works, and requesting sanction to the renewal of the lapsed grant of Rs. 18,993-15-3 from Local Funds General for their completion during the current official year.

No. 9480-81—L. F. 29-1900, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The renewal of the lapsed grant of Rs. 18,993-15-3, applied for by the President, is sanctioned, subject to the submission of a detailed list of works for Rs. 2,906-2-10.

2. The President is authorized to push on to completion the incomplete works detailed in the list received with his letter cited above.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President, District Fund Board, Bangalore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, with revised list.

Exd.—C. V.

Revised list of incomplete Works to be carried out of the Local Funds General for 1900-1901 that remain incomplete in the last day of June 1900.

No.	Name of taluk.	Name of the village where the work is being carried out.	Nature of work.	Government order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate or appropriation sanctioned during 1899-1900.	Amount expended up to the end of June 1900.	Amount of balance to be expended during 1900-1901.	Remarks
					Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
	Bangalore ...	Nallurhalli	Sinking a fresh water well ...	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	75 9 10	36 0 0	...	Completed.
		Maragundahalli	Sinking a well	do do ...	126 3 2	126 3 2	...	do
		Pinya	do	do & 13572-3—L.F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	63 7 8	...	63 7 8	
		Talaghattapur	do	13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	102 0 0	83 3 6	18 12 6	
		Chikkegaudanapalya ...	do	do do ...	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
		Kadarenahalli	do	do do ...	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
		Rayannanapalya	do	do do ...	250 0 0	.....	250 0 0	
		Mutegandanapalya ...	do	do do ...	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
		Sonstammanahalli	do	do do ...	200 0 0	.....	200 0 0	
		Gingur	Village sanitation ...	do do ...	38 3 3	.....	38 3 3	
			Removing prickly-pears ...	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	278 8 6	.....	278 8 6	
				Total ...	1,739 0 5	245 6 8	1,453 15 11	
2	Hoskote ...	Katanallor	Filling up a pit	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	178 0 0	134 10 9	45 5 3	
3	Devanhalli ...	Chiktatimangala	Deepening a kunte ...	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	138 0 0	.....	138 0 0	
		Bayarasandra	Sinking a well	do do ...	198 0 0	.....	198 0 0	
		Kundana	Deepening a kunte ...	do do ...	136 0 0	.....	136 0 0	
				Total ...	472 0 0	.....	472 0 0	

Dodballapur ...	Mankanala	Sinking a well	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	239 0 9	26 7 10	205 8 11	
	Hosahalli	do	do do ...	273 14 6	154 13 1	.....	Completed.
	Kuntanahalli	do	do do ...	15 13 8	.....	15 13 8	
	Kalakunte	do	do do ...	284 11 7	176 7 8	108 3 11	
	Chikamudenahalli ...	do	do do ...	104 13 2	30 0 0	74 13 2	
	Muga Channahalli ...	do	do do ...	187 0 0	.....	187 0 0	
	Subraya Naganahalli ..	do	do do ...	714 1 8	146 8 5	567 9 3	
	Harohalli	do	do and 12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900.	156 6 8	101 5 9	55 0 11	
	Melinauayakarandahalli ...	do	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900, & 12020-1—L. F. 62-99, dated 26th May 1900.	847 7 11	344 3 1	503 4 10	
	Dodballapur	Opening a conservancy lane near chavadi.	do do ...	100 0 0	70 0 0	30 0 0	
	Do	Sinking a well	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	399 2 11	122 6 0	276 12 11	
	Kadakunte	do	do do ...	245 0 0	159 11 5	85 4 7	
	Dadaghattamadu ...	do	12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900.	499 0 0	.....	499 0 0	
	Dodballapur	Repairing Ramanna's pond ...	do do ...	254 0 0	152 14 11	101 1 1	
	Sirasandra	Revetting a well	do do ...	312 0 0	.....	312 0 0	
	Doddabelavangala ...	Sinking a well	13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	308 0 0	.....	308 0 0	
	Channadeve Agrahara ...	do	do do ...	56 0 0	.....	56 0 0	
	Byata	Village sanitation	....	93 0 0	93 0 0	.....	
			Total ...	5,082 8 10	1,577 14 2	3,385 9 3	

Revised list of incomplete Works, &c.—*continued.*

No.	Name of Taluk.	Name of the village where the work is being carried out.	Nature of work.	Government order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate or appropriation sanctioned during 1899-1900.	Amount expended up to the end of June 1900.	Amount of balance to be expended during 1900-1901.	Remarks.
					Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
5	Nelamangala ...	Maratipalya	Sinking a well	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	122 13 6	.....	122 13 6	
		Mayamapura	do	do do ...	288 2 6	108 4 6	179 14 0	
		Tyamagondlu	do (in Fort)	do do ...	122 0 0	122 0 0	.....	
		Do	do (for Brahmins) ..	do do ...	74 11 1	73 11 3	.....	
		Nidavanda	do	do do ...	47 0 0	47 0 0	.....	
		Kasaghattapura	Tank relief work	do do ...	500 0 0	449 9 0	50 7 0	
		Kettiganur	Sinking a well	13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	244 0 0	.....	244 0 0	
		Dasenahalli	Repairing a gokatte ...	do do ...	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
		Yelachigiri	Sinking a well	do do ...	262 0 0	.....	262 0 0	
		Motakur	do	do do ...	315 0 0	.....	315 0 0	
		Nelamangala	Widening roads	do do ...	158 0 0	.....	158 0 0	
				Total ...	2,183 11 1	800 8 9	1,382 2 8	
6	Kankanhalli ...	Sivanahalli	Sinking a well	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	105 12 5	.....	105 12 5	
		Sigikote	do	do do ...	206 12 0	.....	206 12 0	
		Kebbihalli	do	do do ...	145 2 3	10 6 10	134 11 5	
		Mallapura	do	do do ...	338 0 0	20 0 0	318 0 0	
		Naralapura	do	do do ...	136 4 0	.....	136 4 0	

Bannimukkudlu ...	do	do	do ...	256 9 7	.....	256 9 7	
	do near the 5th miles stone, Kankanhallikodi road.	do	do ...	209 8 9	89 8 3	120 0 6	
Duntur	Sinking a well	do	do ...	109 6 6	.....	109 6 6	
Maralavadi	Constructing a chavadi ...	do	do ...	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	
Aratabele	Sinking a well	do	do ...	82 0 8	24 5 6	.....	Completed.
Satnur	Repairing a drinking well ...	do	do ...	243 0 0	.....	243 0 0	
Hegnur	Constructing a chavadi ...	do	do ...	24 10 5	13 6 7	11 3 10	
Chikamuduvadi	Sinking a well	13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.		75 0 0	.....	75 0 0	
Doddamuduvadi	do ...	do	do ...	166 0 0	.....	166 0 0	
Honnalagana doddi ...	do	do	do ...	232 0 0	.....	232 0 0	
Kagalahalli	do	do	do ...	400 0 0	.....	400 0 0	
Ootri	do	do	do ...	170 0 0	.....	170 0 0	
Kutagundahalli	Sinking a temporary well ...	12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900.		10 0 0	10 0 0	.....	do.
Chaukanahalli	do	do	do ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	.....	do.
Turukara Hosahalli ...	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Rayasandra	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Choksandra	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Doddasadenahalli ...	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Viranagiri	do	do	do ..	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Agara	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Kalahalli	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Agrahara	do	do	do ..	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Aralalsandra	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Thungani	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Chelur	do	do	do ..	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Satnur	do	do	do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	
Malligimathu	do	do	do ...	20 0 0	.....	20 0 0	
Mallenahalli	do	1505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900.		20 0 0	.....	20 0 0	
Devara Hosahalli	do	do	do ..	20 0 0	.....	20 0 0	
			Total ...	3,390 2 7	177 11 2	3,154 12 3	

Revised list of incomplete Works, &c.,—*continued.*

No.	Name of taluk.	Name of the village where the work is being carried out.	Nature of work.	Government order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate or appropriation sanctioned during 1899-1900.	Amount expended up to the end of June 1900.	Amount of balance to be expended during 1900-1901.	Remarks.
					Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
7	Magadi ...	Maragondanadoddi ...	Sinking a well	9192-4—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	257 0 0	.....	257 0 0	
		Tirumale	Constructing a gokatte ...	do do ...	107 2 0	69 12 0	37 6 0	
		Halasiganahalli	Improving a well	12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900	260 0 0	.....	260 0 0	
		Magadi	Repairing Ganrammana tank...	13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	499 0 0	.....	499 0 0	
		Cholavanakanahalli... ...	Sinking a well	do do ...	265 0 0	.....	265 0 0	
		Tirumale	do	do do ...	210 0 0	.....	210 0 0	
				Total ...	1,598 2 0	69 12 0	1,528 6 0	
8	Channapatna ...	Sanabanahalli	Sinking a well	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd February 1900 and 13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	197 4 11	.....	197 4 11	
		Hosadoddi	do	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	196 14 0	16 0 9	.....	Ordered to be abandoned.
		Lakkaganahalli	do	do do ...	142 4 9	.....	142 4 9	
		Channapatna	do	do do ...	74 8 0	.....	74 8 0	
		Brahamirpura	do	do do ...	124 11 5	123 14 11	.....	
		Honganur	Constructing stone steps to the tank.	do do ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	

	Tavatanahalli	Sinking a well	12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900	204 0 0	204 0 0	.....		
	Harisandra	do	do do ...	122 0 0	121 8 0	.....		
	Honganur	Do (for Brahmins) ...	9192-3—L. F. 15-99 dated 12th February 1900, and 13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	158 0 0	.....	158 0 0		
	do	Do (for Sudras) ...	do do ...	96 0 0	.....	96 0 0		
	Sunaghatta	do	13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.	293 0 0	.....	293 0 0		
	Mangadahalli	do	do do ...	293 0 0	.....	293 0 0		
	Banatahalli	do	do do ...	244 0 0	.....	244 0 0		
	Byrasettihalli	Sinking a well	do do ...	95 0 0	.....	95 0 0		
	Channapatna	Deepening a well near Purnaya's chattram	do do ...	213 0 0	43 12 3	169 3 9		
			Total ...	2,483 11 1	509 3 11	1,792 5 5		
Closepet ...	Settigondanadoddi	Sinking a well	9182-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.	53 9 0	32 6 0	.....	Completed.	
	Tumbenahalli	do	do do ...	224 0 0	57 0 0	167 0 0		
	Ankanahalli	do	do do ...	153 7 4	128 2 10	.....	do.	
	Mudegondanadoddi ...	do	do do ...	254 15 7	.....	254 15 7		
	Kurubarahalli	do	do do ...	224 0 0	.....	224 0 0		
	Bannagiri	do	do do ...	138 0 0	.....	138 0 0		
	Doddagangavadi	do	do do ...	343 15 6	.....	343 15 6		
	Timmegondanadoddi ...	do	12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900.	150 0 0	.....	150 0 0		
			Total ...	1,541 15 5	217 8 10	1,277 15 1		

Revised list of incomplete Works, &c.—*concluded.*

Name of taluk.	Name of the village where the work is being carried out.	Nature of work.	Government order or monthly list sanctioning the work.	Amount of estimate or appropriation sanctioned during 1899-1900.	Amount expended up to the end of June 1900.	Amount of balance to be expended during 1900-1901.	Remarks.
				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Anekal ...	Sitanayakanahalli	Sinking a well	9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900	88 4 0	.....	88 4 0	
	Singapura	do	do do ...	155 6 0	.....	155 6 0	
	Huskur	Repairing a kunti	do do ...	124 14 7	.....	124 14 7	
	Bomasandra	Sinking a well	do do ...	37 12 2	12 13 6	.....	Completed.
	Anekal	Improving the town ...	do do ...	166 0 0	.....	166 0 0	
	Sargapura	Deepening the Javagukunti ...	do do ...	790 6 4	.....	790 6 4	
	Domasandra	Tank work	do & 4180—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th September 1900.	67 5 10	.....	67 5 10	
	Chambenahalli	do	do do ...	205 0 0	.....	205 0 0	
			Total ...	1,635 0 11	12 13 6	1,597 4 9	
			Grand Total ...	20,304 4 4	3,745 9 9	16,087 12 5	

DETAILS OF GRANT.

Rs.	a.	p.	
13,605	11	11	Sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 9192-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 12th February 1900.
2,370	0	0	Do 12505-6—L. F. 15-99, dated 17th May 1900.
6,448	0	0	Do 13572-3—L. F. 15-99, dated 22nd June 1900.
681	0	0	Do 12820-1—L. F. 62-99, dated 26th May 1900.
258	0	0	Do do
23,362	11	11	Total Grant.
3,745	9	9	Deduct expenditure during the year.
19,617	2	2	Balance.
623	2	11	Deduct savings on works.
18,993	15	3	Amount required for the current year.
16,087	12	5	*Amount lapsed on sanctioned works.*
2,906	2	10	Details to be submitted.
18,993	15	3	Total.

L. B. B.—MUNICIPAL

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore.

READ—

Letter No. 419, dated 10th December 1900, from the President, Mysore City Municipal Commission, stating, with reference to Government Proceedings No. 6856—L. F. 74-97 dated 16th November 1900, that the Board have resolved to introduce into the Mysore City Municipality, without any modification, the Bye-laws regulating the levy of Octroi duties in force in the Bangalore City.

No. 8585—L. F. 74-97, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Government are pleased, in supersession of the Order quoted above, to confirm the Bye-laws as in force in the Bangalore City Municipality, without any modification whatever.

2. The President is requested to have the Bye-laws duly published at once in the *Gazette* as required in the Municipal Regulation.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President, Mysore City Municipal Commission.

READ AGAIN—

Letter No. 447, dated 6th November 1900, from the President of the District Fund and Municipal Boards, Mysore district, recommending the grant of an allowance of Rs. 5 per mensem from Municipal Funds of Hunsur to Unani Hakim Mahomed Suleman Sab, to meet the cost of medicines, &c., and stating that the Hakim is popular with the Mahomedans and is an expert in treating children and that the Municipal Board of Hunsur recommend the allowance to him.

READ—

Letter No. 567, dated 15th December 1900, from the same officer, stating, with reference to this Office No. 7130—L. F. 128-92, dated 22nd November 1900, that the Hakim, in the opinion of the Assistant Surgeon in charge of the Indigenous Hospital in Mysore, is found to possess a fair knowledge of drugs in use in the Unani medicine and of treatment according to that branch of science.

No. 8583-84—L.F. 128-92, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Under the circumstances represented, Government are pleased to sanction an allowance of Rs. 5 per mensem to the Unani Hakim at Hunsur with effect from 1st January 1901, subject to the submission of a report annually as to the number of cases treated by the Hakim, the different kinds of diseases treated, the number of cases of each description, the number of patients of simple and chronic cases of each kind and the results of treatment of each class of disease.

2. The cost will, as proposed, be met from the marginally noted provisions in the current year's Municipal budget of Hunsur.

		Rs.
XI. Miscellaneous—		
h. Other items	...	25
4. Cost of tools	...	10

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President of the Municipal and District Fund Boards, Mysore District.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

READ—

Letter No. 422, dated the 3rd December 1900, from the President of the Municipalities in the Kolar district, stating that for the purpose of meeting the expenses in connection with the water works of the Kolar town, the Board prefer a revision of the house-tax, which has not been done for many years and from which an appreciable sum is expected to accrue to the Board, to the imposition of a new water-tax.

(2) Also Proceedings of the Government in the Public Works Department No. 1047-51—6042-46, dated the 12th December 1900, sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 13,674 for distribution of water-supply to Kolar town.

(3) Also letters Nos. 428 and 429, dated the 4th and 6th December 1900, respectively, from the President of the Municipalities in the Kolar district, submitting with reference to Government Proceedings No. 6992-94—L. F. 104-96 of the 19th November 1900, the revised agreement for repayment of the loan of Rs. 29,444 repayable in 20 years with interest at 4 per cent per annum, together with the resolution of the Kolar Municipal Board, dated 30th November 1900, and a statement showing the annual instalment payable by the Municipality.

No. 9044-46—L. F. 104-96, DATED BANGALORE, 16TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The resolution of the Board agreeing to repay the loan of Rs. 29,444 in 20 years with interest at 4 per cent per annum, is hereby confirmed.

2. The Board's proposal to revise the house-tax in the Kolar town in view to provide for the annual instalment of Rs. 2,166·5 is approved, subject to the submission of a report on the financial effect of the revision of taxes shortly after the close of this official year.

3. The President is also requested to state the ways and means for meeting the excess, if any, of the annual instalment payable towards the loan over the increase which may accrue by the proposed revision of taxes.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President of the Municipalities in the Kolar District.
The Chief Engineer in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, with Agreement.

READ—

Letter No. 5905, dated 5th December 1900, from the Chief Engineer in Mysore.—

With reference to your No. 5155—L. F. 138-95, dated 12th October 1900, requesting my opinion in regard to the lopping by the Civil Surgeon of Chikmagalur, of certain trees on the side of the Municipal road opposite the Kadur Club gate, I have the honor to forward in original Kadur Division Executive Engineer's No. 356 of 19th ultimo, and its enclosures, and to inform you that, although the trees pruned by the Civil Surgeon were in the compound of his official quarters, as shown by the papers, he was not at liberty to cut or prune them, without the permission of the Executive Engineer of the district, who has charge of the building. No tenant of a private building would do any such thing without the consent of his landlord. In this case, the trees in question formed a portion of the avenue of the road skirting his compound, and it should have occurred to him that on this account at least, permission to prune them would be necessary.

2. In order to prevent trees in compounds of Government buildings, occupied as residences, being in future cut or mutilated, a circular will issue from this office, prohibiting tenants of such buildings interfering with the trees in the compound, without the consent of the Executive Engineer of the Division, and asking Superintending Engineers of Circles to add a para to the "Notice" put up in such buildings for the guidance of tenants.

No. 9004-43—L. F. 17-1900, DATED BANGALORE, 16TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Recorded and communicated to all officers for information.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Chief Engineer in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioner and President of Municipalities, Kadur District.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.
The Heads of Departments.

Exd.—C.V.

READ—

Letter No. 410, dated 30th November 1900, from the President of the Municipal Boards, Kolar district, submitting the supplemental budget estimates of the several Municipalities in the district for 1900-1901.

No. 9382-3—L. F. 53-99, DATED BANGALORE, 26TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The variations proposed in the above are as follows:—

Receipts.		Increase.	Expenditure.		Difference.
		Rs.			Rs.
I	Octroi	13,364	III	Collection	+1,476
II	Tax on houses	100	IV	Conservancy	— 135
VII	Mohatarfa	150	VIII	Public Works	+5,987
VIII	Rents	360			
	Total ...	13,974		Total ...	+7,328
	Opening Balance ...	20,334			

RECEIPTS.

2. *I. Octroi.*—The increase proposed under this head is chiefly due to the extension of Octroi to articles other than piece-goods in the Municipalities of Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Chintamani and Goribidnur, under the authority conveyed in Government Proceedings No. 13692-3—L. F. 54-98, dated 25th June 1900 and No. 5761-62—L. F. 5498, dated 27th October 1900. The estimates are passed.

3. *II. House-tax & VII. Mohatarfa.*—The Municipality of Bowringpet expects an increase of Rs. 250 under these heads by bringing under taxation houses and shops recently built in the town. The estimates are allowed.

4. *Opening Balance.*—In lieu of the estimates now proposed under this head, the balances in favour of the Municipalities on 30th June 1900 according to the Comptroller's accounts, will be adopted.

EXPENDITURE.

5. *III. Collection.*—The provisions made are for the salaries of the marginally noted hands sanctioned for the collection of Octroi duties in the towns specified against them and for commission payable to the village establishments for collecting Octroi, house and mohatarfa taxes in the other Municipalities. The provisions are accepted.

Chintamani.
1. Manegar on Rs. 15 per mensem.
2. Mutsaddi on „ 10 ditto
3. Four peons on „ 6 each per mensem.

Chikballapur.
Four peons at Rs. 5 each p. m. Rs. 20
Contingencies ... ... „ 1
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Sidlaghatta.
Four peons at Rs. 5 each p. m. Rs. 20
Contingencies ... ... „ 1
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6. *IV. Conservancy.*—The Board's proposal to dispense with the services of three peons on Rs. 5 each during the latter nine months of the year in the Sidlaghatta Municipality accounts for the decrease under this head, which is allowed.

7. *VIII. Public Works.*—The provisions made for incomplete works of previous years and for new works in some Municipalities are passed, subject to the submission of estimates in the usual course.

8. The other items call for no remarks and are passed.

9. The revised budget estimates of Receipts and Expenditure of the following Municipalities in the district for 1900-1901 are sanctioned as per details given in the accompanying statement, of which an abstract is given below :—

Municipalities.	Opening balance.	Estimated receipts.	Total including balance.	Estimated expenditure.	Estimated closing balance.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
Bowringpet	3,021	3,812	6,833	4,010	2,823
Chintamani	8,766	12,008	20,774	9,051	11,723
Mulbagal	1,753	3,559	5,312	3,702	1,610
Sidlaghatta	1,253	6,831	8,084	4,273	3,811
Chikballapur	18,602	9,297	27,899	14,478	13,421
Goribidnur	1,728	1,977	3,705	2,459	1,246
Malur	1,222	1,746	2,968	1,955	1,013
Srinivaspur	1,452	1,570	3,022	2,224	798
Total ...	37,797	40,800	78,597	42,152	36,445

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The President of the Municipalities in the Kolar District.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Exd.—C.V.

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Income of certain Municipalities of the Kolar District for the year 1900-1901 as proposed by the Deputy Commissioner and as sanctioned by Government.

Items of Receipts.	Bowringpet.			Chintamani.			Srinivaspur.			Mulbagal.			Sidlaghatta.		
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.
I Octroi—															
Class I (a) Cocoanuts, fresh ...	...	...	...	...	1,200	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	480	480
(b) Cocoanuts, dry ...	...	...	...	...	1,200	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	120
(c) Betel-leaves	...	...	...	...	1,200	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	720	720
(d) Sugar	...	...	...	...	300	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60
(e) Jaggory	...	...	...	...	600	600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	300
(f) Ghee	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	120
Class II Sheep, goats, &c.	...	...	...	...	1,500	1,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	300
III Oil and oil-seeds, &c.	...	...	...	...	600	600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	240	240
VI Tobacco (cigars and cigarettes) ...	...	...	...	...	200	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	96	96
VII Cloths	200	500	500	1,100	1,100	1,100	100	100	100	350	350	350	680	720	720
Total I, *Octroi* ..	200	500	500	1,100	8,000	8,000	100	100	100	350	350	350	680	3,156	3,156
II Tax on buildings, &c.	700	800	800	1,800	1,800	1,800	730	730	730	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,820	1,820	1,820
VII Mohatarfa—															
(a) Shop tax	1,000	1,150	1,150	800	800	800	350	350	350	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,060	1,060	1,060
(b) Loom tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(c) Oil-mill tax	...	...	...	120	120	120	25	25	25	80	80	80	15	15	15
(d) Cart tax	270	270	270	100	100	100	200	200	200	460	460	460	300	300	300
Total VII, Mohatarfa ...	1,270	1,420	1,420	1,020	1,020	1,020	575	575	575	1,540	1,540	1,540	1,375	1,375	1,375

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Income of certain Municipalities of the Kolar District, &c.—*continued.*

Items of Receipts.	Chikballapur.			Goribidnur.			Malur.			Total.			Remarks.
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	
I Octroi—													
Class I (a) Cocoanuts, fresh ...	...	400	400	...	12	12	...	...	...	...	2,092	2,092	The increase of Rs. 12,714 over the original estimate is due to the extension of Octroi to articles other than cloth in the Municipalities of Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Goribidnur.
(b) Cocoanuts, dry ...	...	200	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,520	1,520	
(c) Betel-leaves ...	...	675	675	...	456	456	...	...	...	...	3,051	3,051	
(d) Sugar ...	...	250	250	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	610	610	
(e) Jaggery ...	...	500	500	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	1,406	1,406	
(f) Ghee ...	...	75	75	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	301	301	
Class II Sheep, goats, &c., ...	...	275	275	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,075	2,075	
,, III Oil and oil-seeds, &c. ...	...	225	225	...	12	12	...	...	...	...	1,077	1,077	
,, VI Tobacco (cigars and cigarettes)...	...	250	250	...	96	96	...	...	...	...	642	642	
,, VII Cloths ...	500	750	750	100	100	100	150	150	150	3,180	3,770	(2) 3,770	(2) Increase of Rs. 590 is based probably on the actuals of the past period.
Total I, Octroi ...	500	3,600	3,600	100	688	688	150	150	150	3,180	16,544	(3) 16,544	(3) Do Rs. 13,364 is due to causes (1) and (2).
II Tax on buildings, &c. ...	2,300	2,300	2,300	625	625	625	700	700	700	9,775	9,875	(4) 9,875	(4) Increase of Rs. 100 is due to the levy of tax on houses recently built in Bowringpet.
VII Mohatarfa—													
(a) Shop tax ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	400	400	400	450	450	450	6,960	7,110	(5) 7,110	(5) Increase of Rs. 150 is due to levy of shop tax on shops recently built in Bowringpet.
(b) Loom tax ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Oil-mill tax ...	300	300	300	12	12	12	17	17	17	569	569	569	
(d) Cart tax ...	200	200	200	60	60	60	190	190	190	1,780	1,780	1,780	
Total VIII, Mohatarfa ...	2,400	2,400	2,400	472	472	472	657	657	657	9,309	9,459	9,459	

Revised—Statement showing the estimated Income of certain Municipalities of the Kolar District, &c.—*continued.*

Items of Receipts.	Bowringpet.			Chintamani.			Srinivaspur.			Mulbagal.			Sidlaghatta.		
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.
VIII Rents from—															
(a) Houses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(b) Gardens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(c) Markets	300	660	660	1,000	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	380	380	380	...	...	...
(d) Shops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	30	...	...	...
(e) Lands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total VIII, Rents ...	300	660	660	1,000	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	410	410	410	...	...	...
IX Fines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
X Miscellaneous—															
(a) Sale of houses and lands ...	200	200	200	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	200	200	200
(d) Pounds	100	100	100	25	25	25	100	100	100	40	40	40	30	30	30
(g) Sale of manure	...	...	...	120	120	120	30	30	30	25	25	25	130	130	130
(j) Sale of grass	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(k) Amarayi	...	...	...	3	3	3	8	8	8	40	40	40	...	...	...
(l) Notice fees and interest ...	...	...	...	5	5	5	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
(m) Other items	32	32	32	15	15	15	5	5	5	32	32	32	120	120	120
(o) Scavenging fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	...
Total X, Miscellaneous ...	432	432	432	188	188	188	165	165	165	159	159	159	480	480	480
Total Income ...	2,902	3,812	3,812	5,108	12,008	12,008	1,570	1,570	1,570	3,559	3,559	3,559	4,355	6,831	6,831
Opening Balance ...	215	2,921	3,021	4,140	8,666	8,766	835	1,402	1,452	1,083	1,653	1,753	880	1,153	1,253
Total Including Balance ...	3,117	6,733	6,833	9,248	20,674	20,774	2,105	2,972	3,022	4,642	5,212	5,312	5,235	7,984	8,084

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Income of certain Municipalities of the Kolar District, &c.—*continued.*

Items of Receipts.	Chikballapur.			Goribidnur.			Malur.			Total.			Remarks.
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	
VIII Rents from—													
(a) Houses	9	9	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	9	9	
(b) Gardens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(c) Markets	650	650	650	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,330	2,690	(6) 2,690	(6) Increase of Rs. 360 is based on actual collections realized in Bowringpet.
(d) Shops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	30	
(e) Lands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total VIII, Rents ...	659	659	659	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,369	2,729	2,729	
IX Fines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
X Miscellaneous—													
(a) Sale of houses and lands ...	100	100	100	100	100	100	50	50	50	810	810	810	
(d) Pounds	80	80	80	50	50	50	150	150	150	575	575	575	
(g) Sale of manure	100	100	100	12	12	12	15	15	15	432	432	432	
(j) Sale of grass	5	5	5	..	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	5	
(k) Amarayi	1	1	1	...	...	...	10	10	10	62	62	62	
(l) Notice fees and interest ...	2	2	2	5	5	5	2	2	2	16	16	16	
(n) Other items	50	50	50	25	25	25	12	12	12	291	291	291	
(o) Scavenging fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	
Total X, Miscellaneous ...	338	338	338	192	192	192	239	239	239	2,193	2,193	2,193	(7) Increase of Rs. 13,974 is due to causes 3 and 6. (8) Do Rs. 21,134 is due to actual balance according to the Comptroller's account having been entered instead of the approximate balance. (9) Increase of Rs. 35,108 is due to causes 7 and 8.
Total Income ...	6,197	9,297	9,297	1,339	1,977	1,977	1,746	1,746	1,746	26,826	40,800	(7) 40,800	
Opening Balance ...	8,657	18,602	18,402	656	1,628	1,728	197	1,172	1,222	16,663	36,997	(8) 37,797	
Total including Balance ...	14,354	27,699	27,899	2,045	3,605	3,705	1,943	2,918	2,968	43,489	77,797	(9) 78,597	

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Expenditure of certain Municipalities of the Kolar District for the year 1900-1901 as proposed by the Deputy Commissioner and as sanctioned by Government.

Items of Expenditure.	Bowringpet.			Chintamani.			Srinivaspur.			Mulbagal.			Sidlaghatta.		
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.
II Head Office charges—															
(1) Contribution towards cost of establishment in Deputy Commissioner's office.	79	79	79	102	102	102	40	40	40	86	86	86	125	125	125
Total II, Head Office ...	79	79	79	102	102	102	40	40	40	86	86	86	125	125	125
III Collection—															
(a) Octroi	...	...	...	...	588	588	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	189	189
(b) Mohatarfa	99	333	333	141	141	141	65	65	65	132	132	132	160	370	370
Total III, Collection ...	99	333	333	141	729	729	65	65	65	132	132	132	160	559	559
IV Conservancy—															
(a) Establishment	1,248	1,248	1,248	888	888	888	528	528	528	852	852	852	1,272	1,137	1,137
(b) Other charges	375	375	375	298	298	298	140	140	140	181	181	181	460	460	460
Total IV, Conservancy ..	1,623	1,623	1,623	1,186	1,186	1,186	668	668	668	1,033	1,033	1,033	1,732	1,547	1,597
VII Lighting	384	384	384	316	316	316	235	235	235	306	306	306	570	570	570
VIII Public Works—															
(a) Supervision establishment ...	...	61	61	300	386	386	40	71	71	90	118	118	...	9	9
(b) Roads, original	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	39	39	...	...	...	...	...	...
(c) Roads, repairs	...	180	180	...	475	475	200	250	250	400	680	680	...	91	91
(d) Drains, original	...	431	431	...	87	87	100	216	216	400	400	400	...	...	...
(e) Drains, repairs	...	..	...	..	199	199	...	100	100	...	...	..	...	...	...
(f) Water-supply, original ...	...	...	...	3,000	3,000	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
(g) Water-supply, repairs ...	...	...	...	...	48	48	...	...	...	50	50	50	...	...	...
(k) Other works, original ...	...	...	...	.	50	50	...	...	...	50	50	50	...	...	..
(m) Compensation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	139
(o) Reserve	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total VIII, Public Works ...	...	672	672	3,300	4,245	4,245	440	776	776	990	1,298	1,298	...	239	239

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Expenditure of certain Municipalites of the Kolar District, &c.—*continued.*

Items of Expenditure.	Bowringpet.			Chintamani.			Srinivaspur.			Mulbagal.			Sidlaghatta.		
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.
IX Charitable Grants—															
(a) Dispensaries	289	289	289	291	291	291	100	100	100	307	307	307	291	291	291
(d) Maternity	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
Total IX, Charitable Grants ...	409	409	409	411	411	411	220	220	320	427	427	427	411	411	411
X Education—															
(1) Grant-in-aid	440	440	440	397	397	397	160	160	160	310	310	310	600	600	600
Total X, Education ...	440	440	440	397	397	397	160	160	160	310	310	310	600	600	600
XI Miscellaneous—															
(a) Repayment of loans ...	...	...	...	1,500	1,500	1,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(c) Pounds	30	30	30	15	15	15	40	40	40	15	15	15	25	25	25
(d) Reward to dog and snake killers.	10	10	10	30	30	30	5	5	5	15	15	15	25	25	25
(h) Other Items	30	30	30	120	120	120	15	15	15	80	80	80	122	122	122
Total XI, Miscellaneous ...	70	70	70	1,665	1,665	1,665	60	60	60	110	110	110	172	172	172
Total Expenditure ...	3,104	4,010	4,010	7,518	9,051	9,051	1,888	2,224	2,224	3,394	3,702	3,702	3,770	4,273	4,273
Closing Balance ...	13	2,723	2,823	1,730	11,623	11,723	517	748	798	1,248	1,510	1,610	1,465	3,711	3,811
Total Including Balance ...	3,117	6,733	6,833	9,248	20,674	20,774	2,405	2,972	3,022	4,642	5,212	5,312	5,235	7,984	8,084

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Expenditure of certain Municipalities of the Kolar district, &c.—*continued.*

Items of Expenditure.	Chikballapur.			Goribidnur.			Malur.			Total.			Remarks.
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	
II Head Office charges— 1 Contribution towards the cost of establishment in Deputy Commissioner's office.	152	152	152	35	35	35	44	44	44	663	663	663	
Total II, Head Office ...	152	152	152	35	35	35	44	44	44	663	663	663	
III Collection— (a) Octroi	...	189	189	...	...	...	...	31	31	...	997	(1) 997	(1) Increase of Rs. 997 is due to provision made for the salaries of collection establishment and commission already sanctioned.
(b) Mohatarfa	141	141	141	55	90	90	68	68	68	861	1,349	(2) 1,349	(2) Increase of Rs. 479 is due to provision made for commission payable to village establishment for collecting mohatarfa.
Total III, Collection ...	141	330	330	55	90	90	68	99	99	861	2,337	(3) 2,337	(3) Increase of Rs. 1,476 is due to causes (1) and (2).
VI Conservancy— (a) Establishment	2,292	2,292	2,292	642	642	642	636	636	636	8,353	8,223	(4) 8,223	(4) Decrease of Rs. 135 is due to the abolition of three sweepers on Rs 5 each in Sidlaghatta during the last nine months of the year.
(b) Other charges	912	912	912	144	144	144	5	5	5	2,515	2,515	2,515	
Total IV, Conservancy ...	3,204	3,204	3,204	786	786	786	641	641	641	10,873	10,738	10,73[illegible]	
VII Lighting	989	989	989	225	225	225	170	170	170	3,195	3,195	3,195	(5) Increase of Rs. 532 is on account of supervision charges on the cost of works now proposed
VIII Public Works— (a) Supervision establishment ..	549	748	748	..	84	84	...	34	34	979	1,511	(5) 1,511	
(b) Roads, original	290	290	290	..	200	200	...	...	..	290	490	[illegible]	
(c) Roads, repairs	150	150	150	...	250	250	...	100	100	750	2,173	21,73	
(d) Drains, original	2,140	2,140	2,140	...	100	100	...	100	100	2,640	3,474	3,474	
(e) Drains, repairs	...	...	...	...	290	290	...	50	50	...	639	639	
(f) Water-supply, original ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	2,000	3,000	3,000	(6) Increase of Rs. 5,755 is made on account of incomplete works of previous years and fresh works to be undertaken during the current year.
(g) Water-supply, repairs ..	...	1,990	1,99	...	...	...	...	90	90	50	2,178	2,178	
(h) Other works, original ..	1,000	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	...	..	...	1,050	1,100	1,100	
(m) Compensation	2,000	2,000	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,033	2,139	2,139	
(o) Reserve	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	100	100	100	
Total VIII, Public Works ...	6,039	8,228	8,[illegible]28	...	924	924	...	374	374	10,769	16,756	(7) 16,756	(7) Increase of Rs. 5,987 is due to causes (5) and (6).

REVISED—Statement showing the estimated Expenditure of certain Municipalities of the Kolar district, &c.—*concluded.*

Items of Expenditure.	Chikballapur.			Goribidnur.			Malur.			Total.			Remarks.
	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	Already sanctioned.	Now proposed.	Now sanctioned.	
IX Charitable Grants—													
(a) Dispensaries	415	415	415	100	100	100	257	257	257	2,050	2,050	2,050	
(d) Maternity	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	960	960	960	
Total IX, Charitable Grants ...	535	535	535	220	220	220	377	377	377	3,010	3,010	3,010	
X Education—													
(1) Grant-in-aid	590	590	590	120	120	120	160	160	160	2,777	2,777	2,777	
Total X, Education ...	590	590	590	120	120	120	160	160	160	2,777	2,777	2,777	
XI Miscellaneous—													
(a) Repayment of loans ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,500	1,500	1,500	
(c) Pounds	50	50	50	20	20	20	35	35	35	220	230	230	
(d) Reward to dog and snake killers.	250	250	250	15	15	15	5	5	5	355	355	355	
(ii) Other Items	150	150	150	24	24	24	50	50	50	591	591	591	
Total XI, Miscellaneous ...	450	450	450	59	59	59	90	90	90	2,676	2,676	2,676	
Total Expenditure ...	12,100	14,478	14,478	1,500	2,459	2,459	1,550	1,955	1,955	34,824	42,152	(8) 42,152	(8) Net increase of Rs. 7,328 is the result of a gross increase of Rs. 7,463 in items (5) and (7) and of a gross decrease of Rs. 135 in item (4).
Closing Balance ...	2,754	13,221	13,421	545	1,146	1,246	393	963	1,013	8,665	35,645	(9) 36,445	(9) Net increase of Rs. 27,780 is the result of a gross increase of Rs. 35,108 under Receipts and of Rs. 7,328 under Expenditure.
Total including Balance ...	14,854	27,699	27,899	2,045	3,605	3,705	1,943	2,918	2,968	43,489	77,797	78,597	

REVENUE

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ—

Letter No. 445, dated 19th November 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur district, *in re* disbursement of full pay to Narasimhachar and Magala Narain Rao, who were appointed deputy clerk and 3rd clerk, respectively, in the District office, in place of Venkoba Rao and Gopalaratna Mudaliar who were granted privilege leave for three months from 1st May and 1st June 1900, respectively, preparatory to retirement.

No. 5041-80—R. 1706, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The retirement of Venkoba Rao, deputy clerk, and of Gopalaratna Mudaliar, 3rd clerk, having been sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 7548-9—R. 2531, dated 22rd April 1900, they were granted privilege leave for three months from 1st May and 1st June 1900, respectively, their retirement taking effect from date of expiry of the leave; and Narasimhachar, deputy accountant of the District office, and Magala Narain Rao, clerk, Dewan's office, were appointed deputy clerk and 3rd clerk from 1st May and 1st June 1900, respectively, and full pay was disbursed to them. The Comptroller is of opinion that the effect of granting privilege leave prior to retirement being a special concession to a retiring officer, he is to be considered as not out of employ during the period of his leave, that the place really falls vacant only after the expiry of his leave, and that, therefore, the full pay already disbursed to Narasimhachar and Narain Rao should be recovered from them or Government sanction obtained thereto.

2. In agreeing with the Comptroller, the Government observe that the Deputy Commissioner acted irregularly in making the appointments in question so as to give effect to them before the actual retirement (after the expiration of the privilege leave) of Venkoba Rao and Gopalaratna Mudaliar, and incurring additional cost without the previous sanction of Government; with the foregoing remarks Government authorize the disbursement of full pay to Narasimhachar and Narain Rao, as a special case.

3. A copy of these Proceedings will be communicated to all Heads of Departments and Deputy Commissioners of districts with the intimation that Government expect a strict adherence to the Codal Rules in matters of this kind.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.
The Heads of other Departments.

READ—

Correspondence ending with letter No. 1934-334, dated 26th November 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, submitting an alienation statement in respect of Survey Nos. 61 and 65 of the Alumgiri village, liable to submersion by the water of the Kallur tank, Srinivaspur taluk.

No. 5088—R. 1711, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—In March 1895, the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, submitted an alienation statement in respect of 3 acres and 27 guntas of land as shown in the margin in the Alumgiri village, Srinivaspur taluk, and requested that the assessment thereon might be written off the accounts as the land was liable to submersion by the water of the Kallur tank as its capacity had been increased by the Department of Public Works.

Survey No.	Extent. A. g.	Assessment. Rs. a. p.
61	1 29	3 12 0
Out of Survey No. 65	1 38	
	3 27	

It is stated that the crops on these lands were submerged when the tank was full in 1893-94 and that the khatedars are willing to part with the extent of land liable to submersion without claiming any compensation therefor.

The Deputy Commissioner on being asked to report how he has assured himself of the liability of the lands in question to be submerged, states that it has not been possible to ascertain by actual inspection what extent of land might be submerged as the Kallur tank has not filled for the last six years and that the Executive Engineer was not able to furnish him with the contour map, the tank not having been repaired by the Department of Public Works, but that the village shanbhog has stated that the said tank was improved by the Department of Public Works in the year *Dhâtu* (1876-77) prior to the Survey Settlement.

Under these circumstances Government observe that the necessity for writing off the assessment on the lands referred to is not clearly established.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, with enclosures.

READ—

Report of the Agricultural Chemist for the year 1899-1900, received with his letter No. 77, dated 30th August 1900.

During the year 1899-1900, the personnel of the young Department of Agriculture has remained the same. It consists of a clerk and the Agriculture Chemist. But many branches, which, in other countries, would be included in a Department of Agriculture, form at present parts of other Departments of the Mysore service. If these could be gathered together, the Department would not be a small one. However, it might be premature to say if such a course would be advisable or otherwise.

Some assistants in chemistry as well as agriculture will, it is hoped, be appointed shortly—the former to assist with the analytical work in the Laboratory and the latter to carry out plot experiments near Bangalore.

On account of the failure of some attempts to improve agriculture in the past, an opinion is prevalent that Indian agriculture cannot be improved. Doubtlessly there are great difficulties in the way. Not the least of these is that in addition to a thorough knowledge of agriculture and the sciences applied to it, an intimate acquaintance of the habits and circumstances of the raiyats is required, and that the former has to be adapted to the latter to be acceptable to them. But that the agriculture can be improved and improved very materially of that there is not the slightest doubt. But it requires considerable time, tact and perseverance to do it.

LABORATORY.

As a Chemical Laboratory is a matter of prime importance to an Agricultural Chemist, several plans for such a laboratory were prepared by the Agricultural Chemist and State Geologist. The plan selected by the Government provides for the chemical work of the Geological Department being done in the same building as that containing the laboratories and office of the Department of Agriculture. In it the present "Geological Laboratory" is included. The fixtures are being made similar to those of the laboratory of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Canada, and will, it is hoped, prove as eminently satisfactory as those from which they were copied.

Before building the necessary additions, the Department of Public Works are kindly undertaking to make all the changes required in the present building to adapt it to the new requirements. This will give the Chemist some space in which he can begin analytical work before the entire building is completed—a kindness for which he is very grateful to Government and their Department of Public Works.

The chemical apparatus has been selected from various catalogues so as to get the best value. As always, a portion of it had to be made to order to meet special requirments or to embody improvements which appeared desirable. A large portion of it has arrived.

SAMPLES.

Chemical.—Twenty-five samples taken in connection with the study of various problems of general interest to coffee planters are awaiting analysis. In addition to these, ten miscellaneous samples have been received. To dispose of this work only will require at least three or four months, and numerous other samples are waiting to be sent as soon as there is some prospect of their being taken in hand.

Mycological.—Eleven samples of plants affected with fungoid diseases were received and disposed of as circumstances permitted. All that could be done was to recommend the application of Bordeaux mixture where practicable.

Entomological—Three parcels of larvæ of injurious insects were received during the year. For leaf-eating insects not protected by a covering, an application of Paris green cannot be too strongly recommended, provided care is taken not to poison domestic animals

or men. Paris green is an arsenite of copper which has been largely used as a pigment; and is now one of the most popular insecticides. It may be applied either as a spray when suspended in water (about one ounce to ten gallons of water) or dusted on the plants in the dry condition when mixed with 100 times its weight of perfectly dry fine flour or better still "land plaster" (Gypsum) if it can be got.

Since the close of the year, several samples of injurious insects and plant diseases have been received. These made it necessary to visit several fields and have led to a practical demonstration in applying Bordeaux mixture. Paris green could not unfortunately, be obtained at the time. In the near future it may be necessary to write a bulletin on the subject.

When sending insects it is absolutely necessary to provide them with some of the leaves of the plants on which they are feeding.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The correspondence of this office, though not numerically large, covers a very varied field of subjects and, as the Department is new and has as yet no printed literature on subjects of general interest for distribution, many of the replies had to be lengthy to give all the necessry information. Both these factors contribute to make the time required to dispose of the correspondence much longer than the number of letters might imply.

The variety of the subjects treated may be judged to some extent from the following table :—

CORRESPONDENCE, 1899-1900.

Subjects.	No. of Letters.
Sugar industry	37
Fertilizers	24
Soils	5
Plot Experiments	6
Other subjects on coffee industry	16
General Agricultural subjects	10
Plant diseases	9
Farm Implements and Machinery	5
Silk industry, Insects, Experiment stations, Interdepartmental and other letters.	251
Total ...	363

Much more improtant than the correspondence, in the way of giving information were the interviews in the office; and more improtant still the talks and lectures on the estates, the villages, or the fields and gardens visited when on tour. But of these no record is kept.

In response to an invitation from the United Planters' Association a general outline of plot experiments and some of the fundamental principles of manuring were discussed at their meeting held in Bangalore.

TOURS.

The three principal tours undertaken during the year were—

1. To Bidadi and Closepet.
2. „ Koppa.
3. „ Shimoga district and Mangalore.

1. At the request of the Inamdar of Oorgahalli, his sugar-cane fields were visited to suggest any improvements which might appear practical, to note the capability of the estate, to extend the cultivation of cane and give advice on some contemplated improvement in the machinery. Some experiments were also planned. But the apparatus necessary to analyse the cane not having arrived in time, no results were obtained this year. A steam-engine has, however, been installed to crush the cane, and when the circumstances will permit, the wasteful practice of evaporating the juice on an open fire will be replaced by steam heating. Improvements in clarifying the juice will also be undertaken.

Closepet was visited to see the silk industry there. Some simple and temporary improvements were recommended until such time as Mr. Tata's experiments in sericulture in Mysore have induced the raiyats to adopt the more improved system he is trying to introduce.

2. A tour to Koppa was undertaken in July to become personally acquainted with the effect of the very heavy rains which usually occur during that season of the year in the malnad districts. But owing to the practical failure of the monsoon, not even a moderately heavy shower of rain occurred during the stay of nearly two weeks. The time was occupied in noting what could be seen of the diseases of coffee and arecanut. These diseases are of a fungoid nature. The condition of the moisture, which largely influences the growth of the specific fungus, especially Koleroga, is doubtlessly one of the most important factors in the spread of the diseases mentioned. But as the vitality of the trees has doubtlessly something to do with resisting the attack of the disease, the task of finding a remedy is not absolutely hopeless.

3. The third tour was planned to cover the larger portion of the State not visited before. It was cut short, however, in Shimoga district as it appeared desirable to return to Bangalore to do personally all that could be done to make the laboratory as serviceable as possible and expedite the building in every way.

The Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga had forwarded a report on the extent of Koleroga in the various arecanut gardens in the southern portion of his district. A considerable number of both the least and worst affected gardens were visited to find out, if possible, any uniform difference existing between these two classes of gardens, so as to ascertain if this difference might account (to some extent at least) for the partial exemption or otherwise of the disease. Apart from local climatic conditions the situation of the garden, the method of cultivation, the acidity of the soil, the physical condition and chemical composition of the soil, the quantity of water in the soil, and a possible difference in the variety of trees suggested themselves as possible factors to account for the different extent of the disease in different gardens. So far no trace has yet been found to account for this different extent of disease. But the investigation has barely begun.

A possible remedy which would incur no expense and very little trouble might possibly be found in selecting only those nuts for seeds which have grown on trees never affected with the disease and thus try to produce a disease-proof variety of arecanut. This course has proved successful in protecting some crops from disease to which they had been subject before. Of course there is as yet no proof that this plan would be successful. But it is at least worthy of a trial especially as it could cause no harm.

The coffee works at Mangalore were visited to see the last step of the preparation of coffee for the European market.

No. 5118—R. 1728, DATED BANGALORE, 8 JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The above report, being the first of its kind, deals with preliminary steps taken to place the Department on a working basis.

2. Two Assistant Chemists and one more Agricultural Inspector have since been detailed for work under the Agricultural Chemist, and a laboratory is being built by the Public Works Department at a cost of Rs. 26,728.

3. Government have recently sanctioned a sum of Rs. 10,000, for the purpose of starting an experimental agricultural farm under the superintendance of the Agricultural Chemist.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Agricultural Chemist with the Government of Mysore.

READ—

Docket No. 276, dated 27th October 1900, from the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, submitting vernacular statements showing the settlement of final remuneration payable to the village officers of the Honnali taluk, Shimoga district, as revised in accordance with Government Proceedings Nos. 2477-85—R. 908 and 7644-53—R. F. 53-96, dated 3rd September 1896 and 12th February 1898, respectively, and soliciting sanction to the payment of the increase of Rs. 1,413 involved in the revision.

No. 5153-5—R. 1740, DATED BANGALORE, 10TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The payment of the increase of Rs. 1,413 as detailed in the statement noted below to the village officers concerned, is sanctioned with effect from the current official year :—

Village officers.	As per original sanction.			As per revision.			Difference.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Patels	4,469	4	0	5,076	0	0	606	12	0
Shanbhogs	3,955	4	0	4,761	8	0	806	4	0
Total ...	8,424	8	0	9,837	8	0	1,413	0	0

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, with statements.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.

READ—

Letter No. 1811—311, dated 13th November 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, submitting for sanction a remission statement for Rs. 257-4-2, being a moiety of assessment on certain wet lands in Thommasandra village, Sadli hobli, Sidlaghatta taluk, for the year 1896-97, owing to the partial failure of the north-east monsoon.

No. 5192—R. 1758, DATED BANGALORE, 11TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Under the orders conveyed in Government Proceedings Nos. 65-D. and 89-D., dated 2nd April and 12th July 1897, respectively, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the sum of Rs. 257-4-2 being written off the accounts. The delay in the submission of this statement for nearly three years ought not to have been allowed to occur.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, with enclosures.

READ—

Letter No. 361—293, dated 15th October 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga district, stating that the number of Rain-gauge stations inspected in the district during the calendar year 1899 was 8 and not 4 as stated in para 1 of Government Proceedings No. 1359-67—R. F. 56-97, dated 14th August 1900, reviewing the 7th Annual Report on Rainfall Registration in Mysore for 1899.

Letter No. 496, dated 19th November, from the Director of Meteorology in Mysore, stating that the Observatory clerk had, by a singular mistake, filed three of the inspection reports for 1899 with those of 1898, that the correct figure is therefore 7 and not 8 as stated by the Deputy Commissioner, as the 8th Report was received only on the 18th January 1900, and will therefore have to be included in the Annual Report for 1900; and submitting an abstract of all the Rain-gauge inspection reports received from the Shimoga district during the past eight years.

No. 5222-30—R. F. 56-97, DATED BANGALORE, 11TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Under the circumstances explained in the last of the communications read above, the Government direct that in the statement given in the margin of para 1 of the Proceedings cited above, the figure 4 entered in the column headed "Number inspected" against Shimoga, be altered into 7. Similar alteration will be caused to be made in the copies of the Report for 1899, distributed from the Meteorological Department.

2. A copy of the abstract of the inspection reports received from the Director of Meteorology will be forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner who evidently realizes the importance of frequent inspection of Rain-gauges and prompt correction of errors.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Director of Meteorology in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.

READ—

Government Proceedings No. 4175-82—R. 1391, dated 23rd November 1900, passing orders on the distribution of the jamabandi work of 1900-1901, between Deputy Commissioners and their Assistants.

(2) Letter No. 937, dated 14th December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore district, stating with reference to the above Proceedings, that the jamabandi work of the Magadi and Bangalore taluks will be conducted respectively by himself and Mr. Rajagopalacharlu, the Assistant Commissioner, and that the jamabandi work of all the taluks would be finished before the collection season begins.

(3) Letter No. 763 (Camp), dated 14th December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar, stating that the officer doing the jamabandi work of Kolar will look after the District Treasury work also.

(4) Letter No. 366, dated 15th December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, stating that the jamabandi work of the district will be completed by the middle of February 1901 at the latest.

(5) Letter No. 562, dated 13th December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur district, stating that the Assistant Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner at headquarters will be in charge of the District Treasury during the absence of the Treasury Assistant Commissioner on jamabandi duty, the jamabandi work of the Sira and Pavagada taluks being entrusted to Mr. C. Seshadri Iyengar, First General Assistant Commissioner,

and that of the Tumkur and Kunigal taluks to Mr. A. Subramanya Iyer, Second General Assistant Commissioner.

(6) Docket No. 546, dated 31st December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug district, stating that jamabandi work in the district will be finished by the end of February 1901 and that Mr. Homa Hanumanthaiya, General Assistant Commissioner, will be in charge of the District Treasury during Mr. Darasha's absence on jamabandi duty.

No. 5193-96—R. 1759, DATED BANGALORE, 11TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—Recorded.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District.
The Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.
The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

READ—

The Chief Engineer's Memo No. 5769, dated the 26th November 1900, forwarding for orders letter No. (Camp) 684, dated 16th idem, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, requesting sanction to the entertainment of two sowdis on Rs. 6 each per mensem for the Ramasagara tank and channels and of one manegar on Rs. 12—1—15 and a sowdi on Rs. 6 for the Betamangala tank.

No. 5188-9—R. 1756, DATED BANGALORE, 11TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The Government in the Public Works Department having already approved of a small establishment of manegar and sowdis being attached to each of the Betamangala and Ramasagara tanks, sanction is accorded to the entertainment of the marginally noted establishment to each of the said tanks.

Two sowdis on Rs. 6 each for the Ramasagara tank. One manegar at Rs. 12—1—15 and one sowdi on Rs. 6 for the Betamangala tank.

2. The Chief Engineer is requested to report the result of action taken in accordance with para *ii* of Memo No. 742—5627, dated 10th November 1897, as regards Betamangala tank and channels.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Chief Engineer in Mysore, returning the enclosures.
The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.

READ—

Docket No. 363, dated 26th November 1900, from the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, forwarding for sanction two vernacular statements, showing the settlement of final remuneration payable to the village officers of the Sarvamanya Mittanhalli, Gollahalli and Venkatapur villages of the Sidlaghatta taluk.

No. 5266-7—R. 1793, DATED BANGALORE, 15TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The payment of final remuneration, as particularized in the margin and amounting to Rs. 95-4-0, to village officers of certain villages in the Sidlaghatta taluk, is sanctioned with effect from the current official year, the same being paid by the Inamdars concerned.

Taluk.	Village.		Patels. Rs. a. p.	Shanbhogs. Rs. a. p.
Sidlaghatta	Sarvamanya Mittanhalli	...	15 0 0	18 12 0
Do	Gollahalli	...	9 12 0	10 0 0
Do	Venkatapur	...	18 8 0	23 4 0
	Total	...	43 4 0	52 0 0

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, with statements.

No. 5441-3—R. 1858, DATED BANGALORE, 23RD JANUARY 1901.

ORDER—It is observed that two rain-gauges are maintained at Goribidnur one in the Taluk Cutcherry building and the other in front of the Dispensary, a short distances from each other. The former although situated within the open yard of the Taluk Cutcherry is still very close to the surrounding built portions. The latter, on the other hand, has a better situation, but the entries in the Register maintained in the Dispensary are found to be inaccurate, incomplete and

useless for purposes of comparison. So long as these two gauges are maintained, it is also desirable that they should be maintained in suitable situations and the entries carefully recorded from day to day. Copy of this Order will be communicated to the Director of Meteorology, the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar and the Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore, who will take the necessary steps to remedy the defects pointed out.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Director of Meteorology.
The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
The Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore.

No. 5488-95—R. F. 11-92, DATED BANGALORE, 28TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER—The attention of Deputy Commissioners is invited (1) to Proceedings No. 1675-83—R. 635, dated the 12th August 1896, laying down certain rules with instructions for conducting annual crop experiments, and requiring the submission of reports regarding the same on or before the 31st May of every year; and (2) to Proceedings No. 5781-8—R. F. 11-92, dated the 29th December 1897, emphasizing the importance of fullness, accuracy and punctuality in connection with the above as well as all other returns due to Government.

2. The harvest season of 1900-1901 being near at hand, it is hoped that adequate and satisfactory arrangements will be made for conducting the experiments in question in proper time, the result being reported to Government in the prescribed form within the period mentioned above.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

READ—

Docket No. 430, dated 17th December 1900, from the Superintendent of Revenue Survey in Mysore, submitting for sanction, statements showing the final remuneration payable to the village officers of the Shimoga taluk as revised in accordance with Government Proceedings Nos. 2477-88—R. 908 and 7644—R. F. 53-96, dated, respectively, 3rd September 1896 and 12th February 1898.

No. 5471-3—R. 1872, DATED BANGALORE, 28TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The payment of the revised potgi, which involves an increase of Rs. 1,823-12-0 as shown below, to the village officers referred to in the above, is sanctioned with effect from the current official year:—

Officers.	As per original sanction.			As per revision.			Difference.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Patels	5,032	0	0	5,748	12	0	+716	12	0
Shanbhogs	4,643	12	0	5,750	12	0	+1,107	0	0
Total ...	9,675	12	0	11,499	8	0	+1,823	12	0

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Superintendent of Revenue Survey in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.

READ—

Docket No. 1886—326, dated the 20th November 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, submitting a statement (in duplicate) showing the particulars of irrecoverable balance amounting to Rs. 646-5-7, in the Bagepalli taluk, and requesting sanction to the amount being written off the accounts.

No. 5481—R. 1878, DATED BANGALORE, 28TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The remarks made against this case are not clear. The defaulter appears to be a patel. Has he no other property to be proceeded against and why should he be let off?

2. Have the defaulters no other properties? Were not the lands in these cases cultivated?

3. The remarks in this case are not clear. Is the defaulter really a shanbhog and has he no other property to be proceeded against?

4. In these cases a report should be submitted as to whether the lands were cultivated during the years referred to in the statement.

5. Have the defaulters no other properties to be proceeded against?

6. Was the land not cultivated? Have the khatedars no other properties to be proceeded against?

7. In cases where lands were cultivated and the occupants were residents of Her Majesty's Territory, why were not precautionary measures adopted for the recovery of the assessment due to Government?

Case No.		Amount. Rs.	a.	p.
11	...	12	11	11
17	...	12	10	5
18	...	29	3	10
	Total ...	41	14	3
19	...	23	14	4
20	...	16	2	8
21	...	37	2	3
	Total ...	53	4	11
30	...	11	15	2
31	...	7	0	5
32	...	30	7	4
	Total ...	49	6	11
33	...	17	2	5
34	...	6	10	8
35	...	28	14	0
36	...	4	5	11
	Total ...	116	7	11
4	...	1	9	5
6	...	12	11	11
7	...	13	5	8
8	...	10	7	11
15	...	119	8	10
22	...	1	13	8
	Total ...	159	9	5

8. Deducting the sum of Rs. 407-14-9, for the foregoing reasons, from the total amount recommended, *viz.*, Rs. 646-5-7, the balance of Rs. 238-6-10, as shown below, is sanctioned to be written off the accounts :—

Land Revenue.		Kalsat.			Local cess.		Total.
1894-95.	1898-99.	1895-96.	1896-97.	1897-98.	1894-95.	1898-99.	
Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
41 12 5	111 14 1	26 1 11	26 10 6	26 5 2	2 11 6	2 15 3	238 6 10

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, returning vernacular papers and duplicate statement.

READ—

Statistics of Rail-borne Trade relating to Mysore from 1890-91 to 1897-98.

No. 5517-25—R. 1885, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The Imports and Exports during 1897-98 were as noted below :—

	Rs.
Imports	4,26,10,403
Exports	4,14,48,896
Total ...	8,40,59,299

The total value, which is nearly eight and a half crores, is in excess of that of the previous year by more than a crore.

2. The weight of Imports was 7,570,901 maunds and that of Exports 5,086,770 maunds, aggregating in all 12,657,671 maunds, which exceeded that of the previous year by 2,465,313 maunds.

3. The returns of 1897-98 exhibit on the whole a considerable advance under almost all heads both in value and quantity over the figures of previous years, as may be seen from the details given in Statements II to IV (already circulated.)

C. SREENIVASIENGAR, *Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

To—The Director of Statistics in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

READ—

Letter No. 2178—326, dated 12th December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, requesting sanction to the grant of Survey No. 132, measuring 280 acres and 10 guntas, in the Vattrekunte village of the Bowringpet taluk, to one Venkatramaiya on shraya tenure.

No. 5599-5600—R. 1924, DATED BANGALORE, 31ST JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—From the Deputy Commissioner's report and the vernacular papers received therewith, it is observed that a village called Akkenmana Dinne having become *bechirakh* all the lands belonging to it were, during the survey, formed into Survey No. 132 and set apart as free pasture for the Vattrekunte village. It is reported that this land, which measures 280 acres and 10 guntas, contains innumerable jungle trees valued at Rs. 100 as well as a kunte which can be repaired and improved so as to irrigate a part of the land, and that it would require a large outlay to render it fit for cultivation.

2. One Venkatramaiya of the same village requests the grant of the entire number for cultivation on ten years' progressive *cowle* under para 18, Rule XX of the Land Revenue Rules. There being sufficient gomal land in the village of Vattrekunte, the villagers have no objection to the grant of the land in question for cultivation. The Deputy Commissioner reports that the terms offered by the applicant were notified in the *Gazette* in view to invite better offers but no applications were received except from one Ranganna of Bangalore, who first offered to take up the land on nine years' progressive *cowle*, but subsequently withdrew his application. The Deputy Commissioner recommends the grant of Venkatramaiya's application, in accordance with the views of Government expressed in Proceedings No. 12263-70—R. F. 97-92, dated 27th June 1898.

3. Under the circumstances, the Deputy Commissioner's recommendation is sanctioned. The assessment leviable on the entire survey number will be fixed in communication with the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

4. Separate orders will be passed regarding the delay on the late Head Munshi Hanumantha Rao's part brought to notice by the Deputy Commissioner. The Government are averse to fix the blame exclusively on a retired munshi and to absolve the higher officers responsible for the prompt disposal of work in the taluk from all share in it. The explanation of the Amildar who failed to exercise sufficient control and check on the efficient working of the taluk office must be submitted; and it is hoped that the Deputy Commissioner will take such measures as will ensure such delays being found out in and promptly noticed by his office also.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, with the enclosures.
The Superintendent of Revenue Survey in Mysore.

Exd.—C. V.

FINANCIAL

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ—

Letter No. 978, dated the 5th December 1900, from the Secretary to the Mysore State Life Insurance Committee, forwarding for orders of Government a copy of resolution of the meeting, dated 23rd October 1900, regarding the delay in the submission of proposal by one Syed Akbar Saib, shekdar of Nemmenhalli hobli, who was appointed on Rs. 10 in January 1896.

No. 4995-5034—FL. 506, DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—As delays in the submission of proposals of the kind referred to above are becoming frequent, the Government direct that Deputy Commissioners of districts and Heads of Departments will carefully satisfy themselves before signing the certificate in the pay bills, that all officials permanently entertained and the insured officials who have received permanent increase to their pay during the month have *actually* submitted their proposals.

L. ANANTASAMI RAO,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Secretary to the State Life Insurance Committee.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts and Heads of Departments.

READ THE FOLLOWING—

Letter No. 775, dated 30th October 1900, from the Secretary to the Mysore State Life Insurance Committee, Bangalore, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, Bangalore.

I am directed to submit the following report on the working of the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme for the year ending 30th June 1900.

(2) As particularized in the margin 726 proposals were dealt with during the year. A statement of proposals received and disposed of from the commencement is appended, (*vide* Appendix II.)

Pending at the close of 1898-99		... 89
Received during the year ...	First	... 365
	Further	... 272
		726

(3) Appendix I exhibits how the 726 proposals received during the year were disposed of. Out of the 531 policies issued during the year under report, one was subsequently cancelled for reasons noted in the margin on the remaining 530 policies the amount assured is Rs. 2,82,601-0-0 and the monthly premium due is Rs. 931-8-0.

3,892 for further insurance, insured having been discharged from service before taking delivery.

(4) Appendix III exhibits the lives accepted during the year according to different ages and Appendix IV, the same from the commencement.

(5) Appendix V exhibits the business done according to districts as compared with that in the year previous.

(6) The receipts during the year including the opening balance and the interest on the monthly balances of the Fund, amounted to Rs. 5,64,691-9-6 and the expenditure, as particularized in the margin, to Rs. 21,013-10-0, leaving a closing balance of Rs. 5,43,677-15-6 in favor of the Fund.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Establishment charges	2,077	8	6
Contingencies	107	9	6
Law charges	16	0	0
	2,200	2	0
Bonus paid	18,803	0	0
Excess recovery of premia refunded ...	9	8	0
	16,812	8	0
Total expenditure ...	21,013	10	0

The percentage of the year's expenditure to the closing balance was 3·86 and that of the expenditure on account of management, *i.e.*, office establishment, contingencies and law charges, 40. The percentage of cost of management to the income of the year was 1·63. The percentage of the balance at the credit of the fund to the total amount assured is 18·85.

(7) Nineteen deaths among the insured, as detailed below, were reported during the year, of which five were due to plague, seven to various kinds of fever and seven to other causes, giving rise to a claim of Rs. 16,835-0-0. This brings the total casualties from the commencement to 84 and the claim arising to Rs. 90,136-12-0, of which 51 claims aggregating Rs. 69,426-4-0 have been paid up, leaving 33 claims aggregating Rs. 20,714-8-0 to be paid on application from the heirs of the deceased, *vide* Appendix VII :—

Serial No.	Policy No.	Name of insured.	Date of death			Cause of death	Age at death	Bonus payable	Premium recoverable		
								Rs.	Rs.	a.	p.
1	111, 352	C. M. Ramanujaiengar ...	25	4	1899	Diabetic cancer.	46	1,959	10	0	0
2	449	Gundappa	19	6	1898	Paralysis ..	39	299	1	8	0
3	1339, 1468 & 1942	Subbaji Ramachandra ...	18	5	1899	Not reported ...	42	590	3	0	0
4	409	P. Tirumalachar ...	24	5	1899	Fever ...	51	239	2	0	0
5	1325, 2301	B. Krishna Row ...	23	8	1899	Typhoid fever ...	29	2,148	6	0	0
6	915	Khaji Abdas Sannad Sheriff.	2	2	1899	Dropsy ...	42	422	2	0	0
7	1717	M. Hanumanta Row ...	12	11	1898	Plague ...	23	420	1	0	0
8	2604	Appanna	13	1	1899	Plague ...	29	822	1	0	0
9	717, 1039, 2004	M. Venkatramanaiya ...	23	10	1899	Plague ...	32	1,521	4	8	0
10	1675, 2628	Rajaram Row	6	10	1899	Typhoid fever ...	39	551	2	8	0
11	876, 1900, 2510	A. Nanjundaiya ...	26	10	1899	Plague ...	47	578	4	0	0
12	238, 499, 1251	K. Sitaramaiya	27	10	1899	Plague ...	39	677	2	8	0
13	3473	D. Subbaiya	25	12	1899	Drowned ...	30	295	1	0	0
14	440, 2456	Naranappa	1	1	1900	Ague ...	46	345	2	0	0
15	1479	E. Rama Row	28	8	1896	Marika jadya ...	46	179	1	8	0
16	2968	Subba Jetti	28	10	1899	Fever & asthma.	35	247	1	0	0
17	855	D. Srinivasa Row ...	4	7	1897	Malarial fever ...	24	420	1	0	0
18	645, 2337	Kesavaiya	11	4	1900	Fever & cold ...	39	623	2	8	0
19	331, 1950, 2518	A. R. Vaidyanatha Sastri ...	20	3	1900	Ascites due to cerisionis of the liver.	44	5,000	30	0	0
						Total ...		16,835	79	0	0

(8) During the year under report, besides the one policy cancelled (referred to in para 3) two other policies issued in the year previous were also cancelled for reasons stated in the margin. Excluding all the policies that have lapsed by cancellation and deaths of the insured, there remain on the books of this office 4,084 effective policies held by 2,555 individuals assuring Rs. 28,84,129 and realising a monthly premium of Rs. 10,509-8-0, *vide* Appendix VIII.

2884 insured was cashired from the Department. 2885 insured was found ineligible in the subsequent examination under Rule 21 for re-issuing the policy.

(9) The Committee have held three meetings for transaction of business.

(10) The accounts of the year under report were audited by M. R. Ry., M. A. Srinivasachar, Examiner, Comptroller's office, and M. R. Ry., V. R. Ponnuswami Mudaliar, Accountant in the office of the Examiner, Public Works Department and Railway Accounts, and their report is attached.

I.—Statement showing the number of proposals received, disposed of and pending disposal during the year 1899-1900.

Received.				Disposed of.													
During 1899-1900.				Accepted.			Rejected.										
Pending at the beginning of the year.	For first Insurance.	For further Insurance.	Total.	For first Insurance.	For further Insurance.	Total.	Totally rejected on Medical grounds.	Temporarily rejected on Medical grounds.	Having been received after expiry of 1st February 1899 as per Government Proceedings No. 7210—R. F. 161-92, dated 1st February 1898.	Proposer being under age.	Proposer being over age.	Cancelled.	Old Officials.	Total rejected.	Total disposed of.	Pending disposal.
89	365	272	726	280	251	*531	13	14	36	1	5	2	1	72	603	123

*One of the policies has since been cancelled.

II.—Statement showing the number of applications received and disposed of from 1891-92 to 1899-1900.

Year.	Number of proposals received including balance of previous year.	Disposed of.		
		Accepted.	Rejected.	Pending disposal.
1891-92	391	230	72	89
1892-93	343	261	69	14
1893-94	434	260	31	143
1894-95	684	494	48	142
1895-96	566	458	54	54
1896-97	532	437	32	63
1897-98	1150	902	98	150
1898-99	799	665	45	89
1899-1900	726	531	72	123

III.—Statement showing the number of lives assured according to age during the year 1899-1900.

Age.	Number of policies in each age.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.
		Rs.	Rs. a. p.
21	11	16,813	40 0 0
22	26	27,362	67 8 0
23	14	8,003	20 8 0
24	37	17,902	47 8 0
25	48	26,608	73 8 0
26	37	13,572	39 0 0
27	42	26,322	78 8 0
28	37	19,802	61 8 0
29	38	20,823	67 8 0
30	36	31,044	105 0 0
31	24	14,502	40 8 0
32	25	6,977	25 12 0
33	32	15,027	58 0 0
34	19	7,531	30 8 0
35	21	5,868	25 0 0
36	9	3,455	15 8 0
37	18	8,592	40 12 0
38	10	2,188	11 0 0
39	10	3,467	18 8 0
40	11	2,497	14 4 0
41	6	985	6 0 0
42	5	2,303	15 0 0
43	5	1,779	12 8 0
44	2	777	6 0 0
45	7	1,402	11 12 0
	*530	2,82,601	931 8 0

* Excludes one cancelled policy.

IV.—Statement showing the Lives nsured Iaccording to Age from the commencement to the end of 1899-1900.

Ages.	1891-92.			1892-93.			1893-94.			1894-95.			1895-96.		
	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
21 to 25	38	41,459 6 0	108 0 0	54	74,302 0 0	194 4 0	85	61,723 0 0	162 8 0	116	1,18,026 0 0	312 8 0	111	77,787 0 0	205 4 0
26 to 30	54	77,504 12 0	245 8 0	62	53,799 0 0	185 4 0	70	49,990 0 0	156 12 0	164	1,33,845 0 0	419 8 0	154	96,474 0 0	294 0 0
31 to 35	58	72,146 8 0	283 12 0	52	59,848 0 0	239 12 0	48	27,243 0 0	104 0 0	100	1,20,823 0 0	462 8 0	77	46,245 0 0	175 12 0
36 to 40	49	82,949 10 0	418 8 0	61	91,743 0 0	460 12 0	30	31,261 0 0	158 4 0	64	43,968 0 0	224 4 0	70	47,074 0 0	238 12 0
41 to 45	35	67,164 12 0	478 4 0	32	25,611 0 0	180 0 0	26	16,224 0 0	110 0 0	50	42,158 0 0	280 12 0	46	23,405 0 0	156 8 0
Total ...	230	3,41,525 0 0	1,534 0 0	261	3,10,303 0 0	1,260 0 0	259	1,86,485 0 0	691 8 0	494	4,58,880 0 0	1,699 8 0	458	2,90,985 0 0	1,071 4 0

Ages.	1896-97.			1897-98.			1898-99.			1899-1900.					
	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Number insured.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
21 to 25	95	81,321 0 0	214 12 0	213	1,17,757 0 0	308 12 0	165	1,26,610 0 0	332 4 0	136	96,688 0 0	219 0 0	1011	7,95,673 6 0	2,087 4 0
26 to 30	174	99,540 0 0	311 0 0	316	1,78,787 0 0	549 8 0	264	1,60,232 0 0	501 8 0	190	1,11,563 0 0	351 8 0	1448	9,67,034 12 0	3,014 8 8
31 to 35	83	46,934 0 0	181 12 0	192	96,440 0 0	349 8 0	145	78,822 0 0	304 12 0	121	46,905 0 0	179 12 0	874	5,89,506 8 0	2,281 8 0
36 to 40	53	18,415 6 0	96 12 0	103	46,506 0 0	229 12 0	58	21,525 0 0	105 0 0	58	20,199 0 0	100 0 0	546	4,03,645 10 0	2,033 0 0
41 to 45	32	14,035 0 0	95 4 0	74	28,622 0 0	198 8 0	51	8,461 0 0	62 8 0	25	7,246 0 0	51 4 0	351	2,32,926 12 0	1,613 0 0
Total ...	437	2,60,245 0 0	899 8 0	898	4,62,112 0 0	1,635 0 0	*663	3,95,651 0 0	1,306 0 0	†530	2,82,601 0 0	931 8 0	4230	29,88,787 0 0	11,029 4 0

* Excludes 2 Policices cancelled.

† Excludes one cancelled policy.

V.—Statement showing the Number of Policies issued according to Districts during 1899-1900, as compared with the year previous.

Name of Districts.	1899-1900.						1898-1899.					
	Number issued.	Amount assured.			Premium recoverable.			Number issued.	Amount assured.			Premium recoverable.		
		Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.		Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Head-quarter offices	93	59,885	0	0	195	4	0	157	1,30,953	0	0	422	0	0
Bangalore	89	45,911	0	0	152	0	0	82	47,434	0	0	163	0	0
Kolar	33	16,703	0	0	54	0	0	40	21,891	0	0	80	8	0
Tumkur	59	22,760	0	0	74	3	0	37	18,578	0	0	66	12	0
Shimoga	46	22,283	0	0	73	4	0	48	23,641	0	0	73	4	0
Kadur	42	29,010	0	0	91	8	0	43	28,932	0	0	91	8	0
Chitaldrug	31	9,551	0	0	34	12	0	44	15,582	0	0	51	12	0
Mysore	109	57,888	0	0	192	0	0	123	63,402	0	0	211	8	0
Hassan	37	18,603	0	0	64	12	0	89	45,238	0	0	145	12	0
Total ...	530	2,82,601	0	0	931	8	0	663	3,95,651	0	0	1,306	0	0

VI—Statement showing the Income and Expenditure of the Insurance Fund during 1899-1900.

Months.	Receipts.	Amount. Rs.	a.	p.
	Opening Balance	4,29,543	15	5
July	Premium, &c.	9,758	8	11
August	Do	9,642	10	3
September ...	Do	9,680	7	9
October	Do	9,914	15	4
November ...	Do	10,037	6	6
December ...	Do	10,149	2	3
January	Do	10,190	3	6
February ...	Do	9,963	14	5
March	Do	10,249	4	6
April	Do	10,214	13	6
May	Do	10,393	12	9
June	Do	9,983	4	4
	Interest at 3½ per cent on the monthly balances of the Fund during 1899-1900.	14,917	2	1
	Total ...	5,64,691	9	6

Months.	Expenditure.	Rs.	a.	p.	Amount. Rs.	a.	p.
July	Office establishment for June paid in July ...	166	8	8			
	Contingencies	3	1	3	169	9	9
August ...	Office establishment for July	172	0	0			
	Contingency	5	12	3	177	12	3
September ...	Office establishment for August	173	0	0			
	Contingencies	17	14	3			
	Bonus paid	3,683	0	0	3,873	14	5
October ...	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	0	14	0	174	14	0
November ...	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	14	13	3			
	Bonus paid	1,095	0	0	1,283	13	3
December ...	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	8	3	3			
	Bonus paid	239	0	0	421	3	3
January ...	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	4	7	3			
	Bonus paid	352	0	0			
	Refund of premium	1	8	0	531	15	3
February ...	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	6	0	3			
	Bonus paid	3,252	0	0	3,432	0	3
March ...	Office establishment	202	0	0			
	Contingency	5	13	3			
	Bonus paid	1,643	0	0	1,850	13	3
April	Office establishment	146	0	0			
	Contingency	4	2	6			
	Bonus paid	621	0	0			
	Premium refunded	5	0	0	776	2	6
May	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	8	0	3			
	Bonus paid	5,332	0	0			
	Premium refunded ... — ...	1	0	0			
	Law charges	16	0	0	5,521	0	3
June	Office establishment	174	0	0			
	Contingency	28	7	9			
	Bonus paid	2,597	0	0			
	Premium refunded	2	0	0	2,801	7	9
	Total Expenditure ...				21,013	10	0
	Balance at credit of the Fund ...				5,43,677	15	6
	Grand Total ...				5,64,691	9	6

VIII—Statement of effective Policies at the close of 1899-1900.

—	First.	Further.	Total.	Amount assured.	Premia realisable.	—	First insurance policy.	Further insurance policy.	Total.	Amount assured.	Premium recoverable.	Effective policies.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				Rs. a.	Rs. a.					Rs. a.	Rs. a.					Rs. a.
Total policies issued to the end of 1899-99.	2,388	1,319	3,707	27,09,053 12	10,102 12	Cancelled from the commencement up to date for various reasons.	29	5	34	18,708 0	68 8	First (column 2—column 8)	Further (column 3—column 9)	Total (column 4—column 10)	Bonus assured (column 5—column 11)	Premium recoverable (column 6—column 12)
Issuing during 1899-1900.	280	251	531	2,84,142 0	935 8	Lapsed owing to the death of the insured.	84	36	120	90,136 12	383 12					
						Less bonus due to alterations effected during the year.	...	...	...	232 0	.....					
						Amount of premia the payment of which has been di-continued the same being treated as a debt carrying compound interest against the bonus payable.	...	...	...	.....	76 8					
Total ...	2,668	1,570	4,238	29,93,195 12	11,038 4	Total ...	113	41	154	1,09,066 12	528 12	2,555	1,529	4,084	28,84,129	10,509 8

VII.—Statement showing casualties among Insured from the commencement and the claims arising adjusted and pending adjustment to the end of 1899-1900.

Serial No.	Number of Policies.	Name of Insured.	Amount assured.	Date of death.	Age at death.	Amount paid.	Date of payment.	Amount pending payment.	Premia recovered.	Remarks.
			Rs. a. p.		Y. M. D.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
1	13	Buden Sheriff	3,074 0 0	4th September 1892 ...	43 6 0	3,074 0 0	22nd September 1894 ...	.....	140 0 0	
2	309	T. Krishnamurti Rao... ...	1,004 0 0	27th November 1892 ...	34 0 0	1,004 0 0	24th August 1894 ...	.....	18 0 0	
3	283	K. Anantiengar	1,235 0 0	7th April 1893 ...	30 5 0	1,235 0 0	12th August 1893 ...	.....	32 0 0	
3	3	Total ..	5,313 0 0	....	.....	5,313 0 0	....	.....	190 0 0	1892-93
1	155	T. Tyagaraju Mudaliar ...	791 0 0	24th June 1893 ..	42 4 0	791 0 0	20th September 1893 ...	.....	63 0 0	
2	298	Mr. Manjaiya	4,260 0 0	Ditto ...	32 0 0	4,260 0 0	29th May 1894 ...	.....	150 0 0	
3	338	Ethirajaiya	617 0 0	7th February 1894 ...	30 0 0	617 0 0	12th March 1895 ...	.....	34 0 0	
4	275	H. Krishna Rao	463 0 0	29th May 1894 ...	31 0 0	.....	....	463 0 0	33 0 0	
4	4	Total ...	6,131 0 0	....	.....	5,668 0 0	....	463 0 0	280 0 0	1893-94
1	257, 330 ...	V. Perumal Mudaliar ...	1,029 0 0	27th August 1894 ...	32 3 0	1,029 0 0	30th March 1896 ...	.....	80 8 0	
2	691	Sesha Sastri	213 0 0	6th April 1895 ...	44 5 0	213 0 0	6th June 1896 ...	.....	16 8 0	
3	610	C. R. Srikantaiya	377 0 0	2nd May 1895 ...	25 3 0	.....	....	377 0 0	16 0 0	
4	882	W. Jayaramulu Naidu ...	503 0 0	13th June 1895 ...	27 7 0	503 0 0	25th January 1897 ...	.....	16 8 0	
4	5	Total ...	2,122 0 0	....	.....	1,745 0 0	....	377 0 0	129 8 0	1894-95

2	283 ...	Raghupataiya ...	307 0 0	9th August 1895 ...	45 3 0	307 0 0	16th July 1896 ...	.....	72 0 0		
3	281 ...	Mr. Laing Meason ...	7,818 0 0	17th October 1895 ...	27 0 17	7,818 0 0	5th February 1896 ...	.....	760 0 0		
4	819, 1389	P. Narasinga Rao ...	764 0 0	20th September 1895 ...	30 11 14	764 0 0	27th March 1896 ...	.....	31 0 0		
5	109, 443, 614	P. Runga Rao ...	1,116 0 0	24th October 1895 ...	35 11 11	1,116 0 0	7th December 1896 ...	.....	160 0 0		
6	23, 1275	N. Vênkoba Rao ...	495 12 0	23rd ditto ...	26 7 0	495 12 0	23rd ditto ...	.....	46 0 0		
7	395 ...	H. Anantaramaiya ...	348 0 0	26th November 1895 ...	29 2 3	348 0 0	24th August 1896 ...	.....	36 0 0		
8	929 ...	P. Abbei Naidu ...	384 0 0	17th December 1895 ...	43 7 7	.....	....	384 0 0	37 8 0		
9	315 ...	Sunjiva Rao ...	317 0 0	23rd January 1896 ...	49 8 1	317 0 0	18th August 1897 ...	.....	60 0 0		
10	942, 1514	Jacob D'Costa ...	672 0 0	11th May 1895 ...	33 7 10	672 0 0	3rd February 1897 ...	.....	43 0 0		
	494 ...	B. Krishnasingh ...	362 0 0	1st April 1895 ...	27 11 11	362 0 0	28th January 1897 ...	.....	32 0 0		
10	15 ...	Total ...	12,583 12 0	....	.....	12,199 12 0	....	384 0 0	1,277 8 0	1895-96	
1	1385 ...	G. Ramanna ...	329 0 0	27th September 1896 ...	41 9 28	.....	....	329 0 0	22 0 0		
2	760 ...	Mr. A. Krishnaswamiengar ...	7,685 0 0	3rd ditto ...	44 1 7	7,685 0 0	5—10 May 1897 ...	.....	1,350 0 0		
3	1292 ...	Govinda Rao ...	247 0 0	9th January 1897 ...	42 9 27	.....	....	247 0 0	27 0 0		
4	752, 1470	K. Subba Rao ...	2,161 0 0	31st March 1897 ...	27 4 15	2,161 0 0	11th July 1898 ...	.....	183 0 0		
5	75 ...	Hoskote Jaya Rao ...	703 0 0	25th January 1897 ...	45 5 7	703 0 0	30th April 1898 ...	.....	232 0 0		
6	1907 ...	B. Krishnappa ...	*+4 0 0 453 0 0	25th April 1897 ...	25 5 0	+4 0 0 453 0 0	22nd February 1898 ...	.....	313 0 0	* Rs. 4 excess recovery of premium refunded and wrongly included under bonus.	
7	1172, 1826	K. Garudachar ...	1,436 0 0	16th May 1897 ...	26 0 2	.....	....	1,436 0 0	55 0 0		
8	1890 ...	M. Kuppu Rao ...	943 0 0	27th ditto ...	24 7 24	.....	....	943 0 0	10 0 0		
9	1490 ...	B. Srirangachar ...	377 0 0	8th June 1897 ...	25 4 8	.....	....	377 0 0	16 0 4		
10	173 ...	Srinivasamurti ...	389 0 0	23rd April 1897 ...	38 3 6	389 0 0	18th February 1893 ...	.....	88 8 0		
11	868 ...	M. Srikantaiya ...	358 0 0	25th May 1897 ...	47 9 12	358 0 0	14th April 1900 ...	.....	99 0 0		
12	16 ...	Captain Macintire ...	7,123 8 0	18th April 1897 ...	49 1 0	7,123 8 0	21st October 1897 ...	.....	3,100 0 0		
13	930 ...	K. Venkatramanier ...	988 0 0	14th ditto ...	86 9 29	988 0 0	18th December 1897 ...	.....	124 0 0		
13	15 ...	Total ...	23,196 8 0	....	.....	19,884 8 0	....	3,332 0 0	5,311 4 4	1896-97	

VII.—Statement showing casualties among Insured, &c.—*concluded.*

Serial No.	Number of Policies.	Name of Insured.	Amount assured.	Date of death.	Age at death.	Amount paid.	Date of payment.	Amount pending payment.	Premia recovered.	Remarks.
			Rs. a. p.		Y. M. D.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
1	1759...	G. C. Cheluvaiya ...	263 0 0	18th July 1897	41 4 1	263 0 0	31st May 1899	.....	16 8 0	
2	312 ...	Doraiswami Mudaliar	494 0 0	16th February 1898	46 10 8	494 0 0	4th May 1898	.....	207 0 0	
3	79 ...	K. Hanumanta Rao ...	389 0 3	17th November 1897	39 0 3	.....	.....	389 0 0	191 5 7	
4	433 ...	Krishnappa ...	405 0 0	10th April 1898	26 11 10	405 0 0	31st May 1899	.....	62 0 10	
5	332, 961	D. Bhujanga Rao ...	1,430 8 0	20th September 1897	29 1 9	1,430 0 0	16th March 1899	.....	227 8 0	
5	6 ...	Total	2,981 0 0	.....	.....	2,592 0 0	.....	389 0 0	614 6 5	1897-98
1	2891...	Cheluvaiengar ...	348 0 0	10th July 1898	26 5 27	348 0 0	26th February 1900	.....	3 0 0	
2	899 ...	K. Nanjappa ...	352 0 0	7th August 1898	30 1 3	.....	.....	352 0 0	72 0 0	
3	1209...	Syed Mahommed ...	2,176 0 0	6th February 1898	27 9 21	2,176 0 0	24th January 1899	.....	192 0 0	
4	1708...	B. Ethirajulu Naidu...	977 0 0	26th September 1898	25 7 23	977 0 0	24th March 1899	.....	65 0 0	
5	2268...	Srinivasa Rangokakeri	390 0 0	26th November 1898	23 10 14	.....	.....	390 0 0	13 0 0	
6	2377, 3113	Shamanna Mahadeva Sastri	583 0 0	14th December 1898	28 5 4	.....	.....	583 0 0	28 0 0	
7	951, 1953	B. Subba Rao ...	717 0 0	6th ditto	29 9 6	717 0 0	30th November 1899	.....	107 12 0	
8	2135...	B. Narasimhachar ...	377 0 0	4th October 1898	24 9 0	377 0 0	Ditto	.....	10 0 0	
9	2938...	S. Ranga Rao ..	443 0 0	3rd January 1899	30 4 15	.....	.....	443 0 0	10 8 0	
10	3057...	V. Narasimha Sastri...	352 0 0	22nd November 1898	35 6 11	352 0 0	15th January 1900	.....	6 0 0	
11	1121...	M. K. Tirumalacharya	446 0 0	28th September 1897	38 11 27	446 0 0	5th May 1899	.....	60 0 0	
12	1655...	Setu Madhava Rao ...	994 0 0	3rd October 1898	33 4 3	.....	.....	994 0 0	101 8 0	
13	2965, 3186	H. Lakshminarasimhaiya	805 0 0	7th ditto	28 3 7	.....	.....	805 0 0	9 0 0	
14	2 0, 639, 1584 & 2341.	Hurli Srinivasa Rao ...	1,561 0 0	Ditto	33 11 26	.....	.....	1,561 0 0	291 0 0	

15	841	...	Putta Lukshnamma ...	...	2,931 0 0	28th January 1899	...	27 2 3	2,931 2 3	7th September 1899	...	...	405 0 0	
16	539, 2722	...	S. Lakshminarasimhacharya	..	638 0 0	23rd ditto	...	32 4 26	638 0 0	14th June 1900	...	...	101 0 0	
17	1871, 2997	...	A. Nagesa Rau ...	...	900 0 0	7th October 1898	...	26 0 0	...	.....		900 0 0	28 0 0	
18	1664, 3048	...	M. R. Singlachar ...	...	976 0 0	22nd February 1899	...	36 9 16	976 0 0	22nd February 1900	...	...	119 0 0	
19	2432	...	Uganavadi Krishna Sastry	...	771 0 0	25th October 1898	...	29 8 5	771 0 0	21st March 1900	..	...	25 0 0	
20	1309	...	C. Venkatramiah ...	...	324 0 0	28th March 1899	...	47 4 3	...	.....		324 0 0	112 8 0	
21	1861, 2695	...	M. V. Gundappa ...	...	959 0 0	2nd October 1898	...	29 11 10	959 0 0	19th February 1900	...	..	58 8 0	
22	1836, 2511	...	S. Shama Rau ...	...	969 0 8	2nd November 1898	...	24 5 15	969 0 0	22nd February 1900	...	...	50 8 0	
23	74	...	Seshanna	...	281 8 0	8th February 1899	...	46 5 7	...	.....		281 8 0	123 3 0	
24	1061, 1945	...	P. Subbarayalu Naidu	...	752 0 0	20th December 1898	...	27 3 10	752 0 0	20th September 1899	...	...	67 0 0	
25	1559	...	H. Seshagiri Rau ...	...	872 0 0	17th September 1898	...	29 0 11	872 0 0	17th March 1900	...	...	82 8 0	
26	375	..	S. Krishnappa ...	...	84 0 0	17th March 1898	...	49 11 19	84 0 0	6th April 1900	...	...	64 0 0	
26	38	...	Total	...	20,978 8 0	...	...	.....	14,345 0 0	.....		6,633 8 0	2,204 12 0	1,898-1899
1	111, 352	...	C. M. Ramanujiengar	...	1,959 0 0	Diabetic cancer 25th April 1899.		46 0 16	1,959 0 0	14th June 1900	...	...	822 0 0	
2	149	...	Gundappa	...	299 0 0	Paralysis 19th June 1898.		38 9 7	..	.....		299 0 0	42 0 0	
3	1339, 1463, 1942		Subbaji Ramachar ...	...	590 0 0	Not reported 18th May 1899.		41 6 17	...	.....		590 0 0	127 10 5	
4	409	...	P. Tirumalachar ...	...	239 0 0	Fever 24th May 1899	...	51 2 17	239 0 0	14th December 1899	...	...	156 0 0	
5	1325, 2301	...	B. Krishna Rau ...	...	2,148 0 0	Typhoid fever 23rd August 899.		28 7 25	...	.....		2,148 0 0	268 0 0	
6	915	...	Khaji Abodus Samad Sheriff	...	422 0 0	Dropsy 2nd February 1899.		41 8 18	...	.....		422 0 0	94 0 0	
7	1717	...	M. Hanumantha Rau	...	420 0 0	Plague 12th September 1898.		23 4 25	...	.....		420 0 0	28 10 3	
8	2694	...	Appannah ...	...	322 0 0	Plague 13th January 1899.		28 11 2	322 0 0	23rd May 1900	...	...	12 0 0	
9	717, 1039, 2004		M. K. Venkatramanier	...	1,521 0 0	Plague 23rd October 1899.		31 9 28	...	.....		1,521 0 0	250 0 0	
10	1675, 2628	...	Raja Ram Rao ...	...	551 0 0	Typhoid fever 8th October 1899.		38 11 8	...	.....		551 0 0	92 0 0	
11	876, 1960	...	A. Nanjundiah ...	...	578 0 0	Plague 26th October 1899.		47 1 24	...	.....		578 0 0	203 0 0	
12	238, 449, 1251 2510.		K. Seetharamiah ...	...	677 0 0	Do 27th October 1899.		38 6 26	...	.....		677 0 0	150 12 0	
13	3473	...	D. Subbiah ...	...	295 0 0	Drowned 25th December 1899.		30 5 25	...	.....		295 0 0	10 0 0	
14	440, 2456	...	Narnappa ...	...	345 0 0	Ague 1st January 1900 ..		46 3 20	...	.....		345 0 0	133 8 0	
15	1479	...	E. Rama Rau ...	...	179 0 0	Marika Jaddya 28th August 1896.		45 10 27	179 0 0	23rd April 1900	...	...	13 8 0	
16	2933	...	Subbajetty ...	...	247 0 0	Fever and asthma 28th October 1899.		34 11 18	...	.....		247 0 0	16 0 0	
17	855	...	D. Srinivasa Rau ...	...	420 0 0	Malarial fever 4th July 1897.		24 2 4	...	.....		420 0 0	33 0 0	
18	645, 2337	...	Kesaviah ...	...	623 0 0	Fever and cold 11th April 1900.		39 4 22	...	.....		623 0 0	160 8 0	
19	331, 1950, 2518	...	A. R. Vaidyanadu Sastri	...	5,000 0 0	Ascites due to the cirrhosis of the liver 20th March 1900.		43 7 0	5,000 0 0	9th May 1900	...	...	1,785 0 0	
19	34 ..	...			16,835 0 0			.....	7,699 0 0			9,136 0 0	4,397 8 8	
84	430	...			90,136 0 0* 4			.....	69,428 4 0			20,714 8 0	14,404 15 5	

* Vide remarks against, policy No. 75 of 1897-98.

To

The Secretary to the Insurance Committee.

SIR,

In accordance with your Nos. 360, dated 23rd August and 246, dated 3—8th August 1900, to the address of the Comptroller and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, respectively, we beg to state that we audited the Insurance Accounts for the year 1899-1900 and to submit the following report:—

2. The books examined by us are the following—

(1) Register of Polices.
(2) File of acknowledgments of receipts of polices.
(3) Personal Ledgers.
(4) Alphabetical Register of insured.
(5) Register of insured according to age.
(6) Register of Interest.
(7) Abstract of Register of receipts.
(8) Cash Book.

3. *Policy Register and File of Acknowledgments of Receipts of Policies.*—During the year 530 policies were issued, of which 506 were taken up and acknowledgment of parties filed in office. As regards the others, a few polices were revised and re-issued and acknowledgments for the rest had not yet been received. The following is the result of the examination of this Register and file.

(*a*) Policy No. 3732—Age of insured should be 26 and not 25.

(*b*) Policy No. 3831—The date of birth of insured is 5th December 1875, and not 3rd December 1875, as entered.

(*c*) Policy No. 3918—The age of the insured is 19 years, 8 months and 13 days or 20 years, but that entered in the Register is 21. The reason assigned for entry of this age is that, since under Rule 6 of the Insurance Rules, insurance, in the case of those entering the service before 21 years of age, can only be effected on their completing 20 years and six months, and since the party submitted his proposal, it was accepted at the lowest possible age.

(*d*) In a few cases the age of the insured has been increased by some years. As we have nothing to guide us in checking these additions, we have accepted them as correct.

(*e*) Policy Nos. 3757, 3867, 3918, 3984, 3986, 4041, 4085, 4121, 4134, 4145, 4146, 4151, 4161, 4168, 4172, 4189, 4203, 4212, 4173, 4217, 4230, 4232 and 4238. —In these cases the acknowledgments had not been received. Some of these policies had been re-issued while others were issued only lately. In a few cases however, there have been delays in taking them up and explanations have been called for.

(*f*) Policy Nos. 4170 and 4211.—In these cases the amounts of first premia payable have been incorrectly entered in Form No. 9.

(*g*) Policy No. 4201.—The amount insured has been corrected in the Register of Policies from Rs. 147 to Rs. 142. But this correction is omitted to be made in Form No. 9.

Besides the above all the policies for which receipts were wanting last year were also examined.

4. *Personal Ledgers.*—These have been correctly posted. As observed by the auditors last year, the notes which are meant or explanations of non-payment, &c., of premia are in pencil and consequently indistinct. They are also imperfect. It would be better, for purposes of audit, if these reasons are noted in brief in ink. Some of the premia due for the year had not been recovered and we were informed that most of these had been recovered during the current year and references made as regards the rest.

It would also be better for purposes of check if the dates on which the policies are taken are noted in this Register underneath the policy numbers concerned.

5. The other books examined were all correct.

6. The following exhibits the state of the Fund at the end of the year 1899-1900, as per books of the Insurance office.

				Rs.	a.	p.
Opening balance on 1st July 1899				4,29,542	15	5
Receipts.	Rs.	a.	p.			
(1) Premium	1,20,193	1	0			
(2) Interest on over-due premia	29	15	0			
(3) Interest on monthly balances	14,917	2	1			
(4) Other items	8	8	0			
				1,35,148	10	1
Total				5,64,691	9	6
Expenditure.	Rs.	a.	p.			
(1) Establishment	2,077	8	6			
(2) Contingencies	123	9	6			
(3) Bonus paid	18,803	0	0			
(4) Refund of excess premia	9	8	0			
				21,013	10	0
Balance at credit of Fund				5,43,677	15	6

7. During the year bonuses were paid to the extent of Rs. 18,803 on account of Policy Nos. 841, 1061, 1945, 951, 1953, 2435, 409, 3057, 1861, 2695, 1836, 2511, 1664, 3048, 9891, 1559, 2432, 375, 868, 1479, 331, 1950, 2548, 2604, 111, 352, 539, and 2722.

8. In conclusion we beg to acknowledge, with thanks, the material help rendered to us by the Manager Mr. S. Krishnamachar, B.A., and other officials of the Insurance office.

We beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servants,

M. A. SRINIVASA CHAR.

V. R. PONNUSAMY MUDALIAR.

Explanatory remarks on the points noted in the Auditor's Report for 1899-1900.

Para 3 (a) of Auditor's Report.—At the time of calculating the age, the proposer was 25 years, six months and a few days old. The few days were left to be noticed by an oversight and the age was taken as 25. It has since been rectified and the Policy altered.

Para 3 (b).—The figure 5 was not properly entered and it appeared as 3. This has since been attended to.

Para 3 (c).—A remark, as to age taken as 21, is entered against the Policy in the Register of Policies.

Para 3 (f).—The acknowledgment for Policy No. 4170 is in manuscript and the amount of premium *i. e.* Re. 1 is entered rightly and in the acknowledgment for No. 4211, instead of the premium amount, bonus amount is entered by the Treasury which will now be requested to correct the same.

Para 3 (g).—Policy No. 4201, was originally issued for Rs. 147. At the re-issue, the amount was altered to Rs. 142, the insured having passed to the next age. The receipt is in form but in the draft slip (intimation to Treasury originally prepared) the amount has not been altered as the revised Policy was sent with a separate draft. This is also now attended to.

Para 4.—The pencil remarks in the Ledgers are being inked and as soon as all the volumes are complete they will be submitted for inspection as ordered.

No. 5297—R. F. 101-93 DATED BANGALORE, 16TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—In addition to the 89 proposals which were pending at the close of 1898-99, 637 new proposals were received during the year under report—365 for first and 272 for further insurance. The total number of proposals dealt with during the year was 726 against 799 in the previous year. Of these, 530 against 663 proposals were accepted and Policies issued therefor, the amount

assured being Rs. 2,82,601 against Rs. 3,95,651 and the monthly premium realizable thereon Rs. 931-8-0 against Rs. 1,306. One Policy for further insurance and two other policies issued during 1898-99 were cancelled. Proposals in 70 other cases were rejected. Thus 603 proposals were disposed of, leaving 123 pending disposal at the close of the year. The casualties were 19 against 26 in 1898-99, and the claims arising therefrom amounted to Rs. 16,835-0-0 against Rs. 20,978. The total casualties from the commencement up to the close of the year under report were 84 and the claims involved amounted to Rs. 90,140-12-0, of which 51 claims aggregating Rs. 69,426-4-0, were already paid up, leaving an undisbursed balance of Rs. 20,714-8-0 as shown in Appendix VII attached to the report.

2. There were at the close of the year under report 4,084 effective Policies held by 2,555 individuals assuring Rs. 28,84,129 and realizing a monthly premium of Rs. 10,509-8-0 as against 3,594 Policies assuring Rs. 26,19,291 and realizing a monthly premium of Rs. 9,660-8-0 in 1898-99.

3. The total receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 1,35,148-10-1 against Rs. 1,19,050 in 1898-99. Of this amount. Rs. 14,917-2-1 formed the interest at $3\frac{1}{8}$ per cent on the monthly balances of the Fund. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 21,013-10-0 against Rs. 12,051 or 18·5 per cent of the net income of the year. Out of the total expenditure, the amount of bonus paid amounted to Rs. 18,803 against Rs. 8,206 in 1898-99 and the cost of establishment was Rs. 2,210-10-0 against Rs. 2,235-3-11 or 1·93 per cent of the net income of the year. The balance at the credit of the Fund was Rs. 5,43,677-15-6 against Rs. 4,29,543-0-0 in the previous year. The percentage of the year's expenditure to the closing balance was 3·86 and the percentage of cost of management to the gross income of the year was 1·63. The percentage of the balance at the credit of the Fund to the total amount assured was 18·85.

4. There were three meetings of the Committee during the year. The Auditor's Report shows that the books and accounts of the Committee were carefully scrutinized. It is hoped, that the defects as regards ages, &c., of the insured therein pointed out, have been duly remedied.

L. ANANTASAMI RAO,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Secretary of the Mysore State Life Insurance Committee

READ THE FOLLOWING:—

Letter No. 28, dated 29th October 1900, from the Superintendent of Stamps in Mysore.

I have the honor to submit the Annual Report of the Stamp Department of the Mysore State for the year 1899-1900 together with the usual Statements.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STAMP DEPARTMENT OF THE MYSORE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1899-1900.

Statement No. 1.—Stamps valued at Rs. 9,93,927 were received from the Stamp Manufactory. This added to the value of stock at the beginning of the year, including Transfer and Foreign Bill Stamps, gave a total of Rs. 34,75,971.

2. The Manufactory supplied to the Central Depôt stamps for Rs. 1,70,600 more than in the year previous, as compared below :—

Year.	No.	Value. Rs.
1898-99	1,121,600	8,23,327
1899-1900	1,523,608	9,93,927
Difference	+4,02,008	+1,70,600

3. Stamps to the value of Rs. 9,90,552 were issued during the year under report to District Treasuries where the stock at the commencement of the year was valued at Rs. 6,16,231.

4. In 1898-99 the issues to the District Treasuries amounted to Rs. 8,36,369.

5. *Statement No. 2.*—A larger number of water-mark papers were issued for the manufacture of Stamps during 1899-1900 than in 1898-99, as shown below :—

Year.	General stamp water-mark paper.	Court-fee water-mark paper.	Receipt stamp water-mark paper.
	Rolls.	Sheets.	Sheets.
1898-99	147,367	8,475	2,500
1899-1900	414,000	48,000	3,500
Difference	+266,633	+39,525	+1,000

6. *Statement No. 7.*—The issues this year to the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury were more by Rs. 17,530-2-0, whereas the total for last year was Rs. 40,765-8-0.

7. The following memo will show the Issues and Receipts of stamps of the Stamp Superintendent's office from the year 1894-95 to the end of 1899-1900 :—

Years.	Receipts.	Issues to the Districts.	Issues to the Resident's Treasury.	Years.	Receipts.	Issues to the Districts	Issues to the Resident's Treasury.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1894-95 ...	7,87,323	7,62,062	84,533	1897-98 ...	9,20,804	9,05,794	74,736
1895-96 ...	11,07,229	9,28,179	63,781	1898-99 ...	8,23,327	8,36,368	40,763
1896-97 ...	10,70,899	9,55,437	86,589	1899-1900 ...	9,93,927	9,91,462	8,203

N.B.—Issues include the damaged stamps also.

8. *Statement No 3 A. & B.*—The following figures will show that in the year under report there was an increase in the sales of stamps :—

Years.	General Stamps.			Court fee Stamps.			Receipt Stamps.		
	No.	Value.		No.	Value.		No.	Value.	
		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.
1898-99	316,842	1,92,572	2	468,358	4,10,155	12	223,112	13,944	6
1899-1900	371,311	2,26,689	10	523,962	4,65,268	9	237,576	14,848	8
Difference	+54,469	+34,117	8	+55,604	+55,112	13	+14,464	+904	...

9. *Statement No. 4.*—The average annual sale of three-pie paper in the previous years had been about 970 reams. In 1899-1900, 851⅓ reams were sold. Sixty reams were issued to districts during this year. None were supplied last year.

10. *Statement No. 6.*—The receipts, sales and stock of stamps on hand in the districts have been as shown below :—

Particulars.		General Stamps.			Court-fee Stamps.			Receipt Stamps.		
		No.	Value.		No.	Value.		No.	Value.	
			Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.
Stock including previous year's balance	1898-99 ...	554,829	4,37,191	7	815,796	7,65,874	12	362,685	22,667	13
	1899-1900 ...	546,337	4,89,895	5	881,765	8,59,508	2	376,053	23,503	5
Difference		—8,492	+52,703	14	+65,969	+93,633	6	+13,368	+835	8
Sales, &c ...	1898-99 ..	317,085	1,92,791	14	468,285	4,03,345	12	223,112	13,944	8
	1899-1900 ...	371,322	2,26,698	10	523,965	4,65,270	1	237,587	14,849	3
Difference		+54,237	+33,906	12	+55,680	+61,924	5	+14,475	+904	11
Balance on hand at the end of the year,	1898-99 ...	237,744	2,44,399	9	347,511	3,62,529	...	139,573	8,723	5
	1899-1900 ...	175,015	2,63,196	11	357,800	3,94,238	1	138,466	8,654	2
Difference		—62,729	+18,797	2	+10,289	+31,709	1	—1,107	—69	3

Particulars.		Transfer Stamps.			Foreign Bill labels.		
		No.	Value.		No.	Value.	
			Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.
Stock including previous year's balance	1898-99	571	567	6	41	11	11
	1899-1900	571	567	6	41	11	11
Difference		...	...	...	...	...	...
Sales, &c. ...	1898-99	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1899-1900	...	...	...	...	...	...
Difference		...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance on hand at the end of the year.	1898-99	571	567	6	41	11	11
	1899-1900	571	567	6	41	11	11
Difference		...	...	...	...	...	...

11. *Statements Nos. 'A' & 'B.'*—The gross revenue under the different heads of stamps for 1898-99 and 1899-1900 is compared below :—

Particulars.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	Difference.
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Judicial—			
(1) Sale of Court-fee stamps by District Treasuries	4,03,345 12 0	4,55,268 7 0	+61,922 11 0
At the Stamp Superintendent's office	6,810 0 0	13,200 0 0	+6,390 0 0
(2) Sale of 3-pie paper	5,919 3 0	6,383 6 0	+464 3 0
(3) Recoveries on account of pauper suits...	1,709 6 0	1,038 11 4	−670 10 8
Non-Judicial—			
(1) Sale of General stamps	1,92,572 2 0	2,26,689 0 0	+34,116 14 0
(2) Do Receipt stamps	13,944 8 0	14,848 11 0	+904 3 0
(3) Do Transfer stamps	.....	10 4 0	+10 4 0
(4) Do Foreign Bill labels	.....	23 0 0	+23 0 0
(5) Stamp duty realized at the Stamp Superintendent's office ...	5,679 2 0	28,507 14 0	+22,828 12 0
(6) Penalties	10,106 4 6	12,280 12 0	+2,174 7 6
(7) Miscellaneous	5,860 0 1	6,455 13 4	+595 13 3
Total ...	6,45,946 5 7	7,74,705 14 8	+1,28,759 9 1

12. It will be seen that the Stamp revenue this year improved by Rs. 1,28,759-9-1, towards which the Court-fees, General Stamps and Stamp duty largely contributed. The sales by the Stamp Supervisor of this office nearly doubled, especially under one-hundred-rupee paper, which gave about 69 per cent. The Foreign Bill and the Transfer stamps, alluded to above, were sold at the Stamp Superintendent's office. Eight-anna stamp had fetched the largest percentage of the revenue under Judicial and Non-Judicial stamps.

13. *Statement No. 5.*—The increase of Rs. 22,828-12-0 under Stamp duty is due chiefly to the stamping of a deed of assignment sent by Messrs. Barclay, Orr & David, Solicitors, Madras, with the value of Rs. 16,865.

14. *Statement No. 6.*—The following table exhibits the revenue realized in each district :—

District.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	Difference.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Head-quarters Stamp Superintendent's office	12,489	41,741	+29,252
Mysore	1,78,373	2,14,757	+36,384
Bangalore	1,02,143	1,44,502	+42,359
Shimoga	90,673	92,845	+2,172
Hassan	76,295	73,299	−2,996
Kolar	53,515	62,338	+8,823
Kadur	62,660	60,962	−1,698
Tumkur	42,654	56,849	+14,195
Chitaldrug	27,144	27,413	+269
Total ...	6,45,946	7,74,706	+1,28,760

15. There was a decrease of revenue in the Kadur and Hassan districts, probably due to less litigation.

16. *Statement No. B.*—The general increase of revenue, excepting a small falling-off under "Recoveries on account of pauper suits," is to be ascribed to

the revival of trade and brisk litigation on account of better state of affairs consequent upon the disappearance and abatement of the bubonic plague in the State.

17. *Statement No. B.*—The details of Stamp expenditure for the two years are as follow :—

Particulars.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	Difference.
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
(1) Stamp Superintendent's office establishment	2,545 4 6	2,148 0 0	— 397 4 6
(2) Stamp Manufactory	8,375 0 0	6,648 0 0	—1,727 0 0
(3) Cost of water-mark papers	9,036 4 6	648 0 5	—8,388 4 1
(4) Contingencies ... { Stamp Superintendent's office ...	463 2 1	298 3 3	—164 14 10
(4) Contingencies ... { Stamp Manufactory	.....	894 13 3	+894 13 3
(5) Refunds	4,603 7 6	26,991 7 6	+22,388 0 0
(6) Discount on sale of stamps and water-mark papers... ...	11,810 5 7	14,025 12 5	+2,215 6 10
(7) Pay of salaried vendors	2,890 7 8	2,559 2 8	—331 5 0
Total ...	37,723 15 10	54,213 7 6	+14,489 7 8

18. The difference of Rs. 397-4-6 in the charges against the Stamp Superintendent's office is due to the cost of the Stock branch having been borne by it till the end of November 1898, when it was transferred to the Manufactory.

19. The Stamp Manufactory, which was under the control of the Secretariat, clubbed together the establishment and contingent charges in 1898-99; whereas this year they are shown separately, and this accounts for the variation. During the year under report, there were no new purchases of water-mark paper, but the previous year's accounts amounting to Rs. 648 have been adjusted. This accounts for the difference.

20. The reason for short expenditure this year under "Contingencies" in the Stamp Superintendent's office is that no new dies have been ordered.

21. Refunds of Stamp duty ordered by the Courts on appeal or review of judgment under Act VII of 1870 and on stamps not required for use and spoiled stamps under Government of India Financial Resolution No. 23,450, dated 4th December 1884, have been, respectively, Rs. 24,111-14-6 and Rs. 2,879-9-0 This result is due apparently to larger number of uncontested and compromised cases.

22. Owing to larger sales of stamps and water-mark paper, Rs. 2,215-6-10 were paid more on account of "Discounts."

23. The slight decrease of expenditure under "Pay of salaried vendors" is the result of a fewer number of vendors employed.

24. The Officer in charge of the Manufactory has taken steps to get stamp dies of higher denominations ranging in value from Rs. 2,000 up to Rs. 20,000, agreeably to Government Proceedings No. 1400-402—Finl. 111, dated 14th August 1900, reviewing the Stamp Report for 1898-99. He has complied very expeditiously with the requisitions made by the Superintendent for the supply of stamps and for impressing documents.

25. *Conclusion.*—Against the receipts of the year, which amounted to Rs. 7,74,705-14-8, an expenditure of Rs. 54,213-7-6, has to be debited on account of establishment and other charges. Thus the net revenue was Rs. 7,20,492-7-2 or Rs. 1,14,270-1-5 more than in the previous year. It may be interesting to note that the net revenue realized in 1897-98 (Rs. 7,42,675) was the highest on record, and that this year has very nearly approached it.

26. Including the receipts from Districts, stamps valued at Rs. 73-2-0 were found damaged this year as against Rs. 332 in 1898-99.

27. The usual Annual Statements are attached to this Report.

No. 1—Statement showing the Receipts and Issues of Stamps in the Stamp Superintendent's office during 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

Particulars.		Opening balance.		Receipts in the year.		Total.		Issues in the year.		Balance.	
		No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
			Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
Judicial Stamps—											
Labels ...	1898-99	390,615	2,63,273	184,428	1,77,678	725,043	4,40,951	509,674	2,22,806	215,369	1,58,145
	1899-1900	215,369	1,58,145	860,807	4,39,923	1,076,176	5,98,068	558,623	3,15,309	517,553	2,82,759
Papers ...	1898-99	[illegible]	3,74,740	6,139	1,40,020	12,117	5,14,760	7,468	2,17,080	4,649	2,97,680
	1899-1900	[illegible]	2,97,680	8,607	2,19,450	13,256	5,17,130	8,630	2,42,655	4,626	2,74,475
Non-Judicial Stamps—											
General stamps ...	1898-99	333,067	11,43,472	419,033	4,73,629	752,100	16,17,101	339,065	3,56,880	413,035	12,60,221
	1899-1900	[illegible]	12,60,221	409,194	3,17,554	822,229	15,77,775	326,260	4,72,470	496,029	11,05,305
Receipt stamps ...	1898-99	15,200	2,200	512,000	32,000	547,200	34,200	324,160	20,260	223,040	13,940
	1899-1900	223,040	13,940	243,200	15,200	466,240	29,140	294,080	18,380	172,160	10,760
Transfer stamps ...	1898-99	485,659	7,10,509	...	...	485,659	7,10,509	...	...	485,659	7,10,509
	1899-1900	485,659	7,10,509	...	...	485,659	7,10,509	*467	850	485,192	7,09,659
Foreign Bill Labels ...	1898-99	31,237	41,515	...	...	31,237	41,515	...	...	31,237	41,515
	1899-1900	31,237	41,515	...	...	31,237	41,515	†203	94	31,034	41,421
Notarial stamps ...	1898-99	142	142	...	...	142	142	108	108	34	34
	1899-1900	34	34	1,800	1,800	1,834	1,834	...	...	1,834	1,834

* Cancelled by Comptroller and Auditor-General per Government Proceedings No. 14522-8—Mis. 3145, dated 24th June 1899, No. 450 value Rs. 840-0-0 and the rest were sold in the Stamp superintendent's office to the Agent Bangalore Woollen, Cotton & Silk Manufacturing Co.

† Do do do ,, 121 ,, 70-6-0 do to the Agent, Madras Bank.

No. 2—Statement showing the Receipts and Issues of Water-mark Papers for the years 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

Particulars.		Opening balance.			Receipts in the year.			Total.			Issues for impression.			Remarks.
		Bales.	P.	R.	Bales.	P.	R.	Bales.	P.	R.	Bales.	P.	R.	
General stamps ...	1898-99		2,461,356			1,052,316			3,513,702			147,367		* 3,66,635+11,297 being excess found, on examination during 1898-99.
	1899-1900		*3,377,732			1,042,941			4,420,673			414,090		
Court-fee stamps ...	1898-99		104,625			87,302			191,927			8,475		
	1899-1900		†183,198			.....			183,198			48,000		† 1,23,452—254 being deficiency found and written off the account during 1898-99.
Receipt stamps ...	1898-99		14,000			19,999			33,999			2,500		
	1899-1900		31,499			39,992			71,491			3,500		
Three-pie special water line paper ...	1898-99	190	...	56	...	...	...	190	...	‡56	...	...	...	‡Excess found.
	1899-1901	...	11,301	56	...	...	...	...	11,301	56	...	¶60	...	¶Issued to Hassan.

3 (A.)—Statement showing the Number and Value of Judicial Stamps sold at the District Treasuries during the year 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

Denomination.	1898-99.			1899-1900.			Remarks.
	No.	Value.		No.	Value.		
		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.	
1 Anna	8,8690	5,543	2	1,04,538	6,533	10	
8 Annas	328	61	8	773	144	15	
4 ,, ...	46,734	11,683	8	48,822	12,205	8	
6 ,, ...	8,155	3,058	2	8,552	3,207	0	
8 ,, ...	2,31,179	1,15,589	8	2,55,996	1,27,998	0	
12 ,, ...	19,428	14,571	0	22,706	17,029	8	
1 Rupee	47,065	47,065	0	52,572	52,572	0	
2 Rupees	8,266	16,532	0	9,206	18,412	0	
3 ,, ...	5,929	17,787	0	6,654	19,962	0	
4 ,, ...	3,637	14,548	0	4,128	16492	0	
6 ,, ...	2,972	17,832	0	3,152	18,912	0	
10 ,, ...	2,359	23,590	0	2,596	25,960	0	
15 ,, ...	1,198	17,970	0	1,432	21,480	0	
20 ,, ...	693	13,860	0	861	17,220	0	
25 ,, ...	337	8,425	0	353	8,825	0	
30 ,, ...	312	9,360	0	329	9,870	0	
35 ,, ...	118	4,130	0	146	5,110	0	
40 ,, ...	143	5,720	0	154	6,160	0	
45 ,, ...	127	5,715	0	162	7,290	0	
50 ,, ...	72	3,600	0	107	5,350	0	
55 ,, ...	16	880	0	24	1,320	0	
60 ,, ...	79	4,740	0	72	4,320	0	
65 ,, ...	22	1,430	0	25	1,625	0	
70 ,, ...	30	2,100	0	34	2,380	0	
75 ,, ...	45	3,375	0	47	3,525	0	The details for 1898-99 have been corrected by the Comptroller's office after the last report was printed. The corrected figures are given here.
80 ,, ...	39	3,120	0	31	2,480	0	
85 ,, ...	21	1,785	0	20	1,700	0	
90 ,, ...	25	2,250	0	22	1,800	0	
95 ,, ...	13	1,235	0	23	2,185	0	
100 ,, ...	326	32,600	0	432	43,200	0	
Total ...	4,68,358	4,10,155	12	5,23,952	4,65,268	9	

No. 3 (B.)—Statement showing the Number and Value of Non-Judicial Stamps *i.e.*, General Stamps, Receipt Stamps, Foreign Bill and Transfer Stamps sold at the District Treasuries during the year 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

Denomination.	1898-99.			1899-1900.			Remarks.
	No.	Value.		No.	Value.		
		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.	
2 Annas	53,795	6,724	6	65,271	8,158	14	
4 ,, ...	1,26,869	31,717	4	1,42,565	35,641	4	
6 ,, ...	849	318	6	1,474	177	12	
8 ,, ...	81,317	40,658	0	96,066	48,033	0	
10 ,, ...	359	224	6	278	173	12	
12 ,, ...	305	228	12	266	199	8	
1 Rupee	34,526	34,526	0	42,730	42,730	0	
1¼ Rupees	2	2	6	5	6	4	
1½ ,, ...	2,468	3,702	0	3,008	4,512	0	
2 ,, ...	7,369	14,738	0	9,397	18,794	0	
2¼ ,, ...	...	...	0	1	2	4	
2½ ,, ...	762	1,905	0	939	2,347	8	
3 ,, ...	2,707	8,121	0	3,450	10,350	0	
3½ ,, ...	66	231	0	98	343	0	
4 ,, ...	1,404	5,616	0	1,773	7,092	0	
4½ ,, ...	39	175	8	64	288	0	
5 ,, ...	1,605	8,025	0	2,140	10,700	0	
6 ,, ...	392	2,352	0	508	3,048	0	
7 ,, ...	175	1,225	0	229	1,603	0	
7½ ,, ...	93	697	8	120	900	0	
8 ,, ...	195	1,560	0	290	2,320	0	
9 ,, ...	35	315	0	47	423	0	
10 ,, ...	715	7,150	0	799	7,990	0	
12 ,, ...	14	168	0	14	168	0	
12½ ,, ...	24	300	0	13	162	8	
14 ,, ...	...	...	0	1	14	0	
15 ,, ...	253	3,795	0	256	3,840	0	
16 ,, ...	15	240	0	19	304	0	
17½ ,, ...	3	52	8	3	52	8	
18 ,, ...	...	...	0	1	18	0	
20 ,, ...	182	3,640	0	229	4,580	0	
22 ,, ...	1	22	0	...	...	0	
22½ ,, ...	...	...	0	1	22	8	
24 ,, ...	1	24	0	...	...	0	
25 ,, ...	74	1,850	0	69	1,725	0	
30 ,, ...	56	1,680	0	59	1,770	0	
35 ,, ...	14	490	0	4	140	0	
40 ,, ...	43	1,720	0	34	1,360	0	
45 ,, ...	3	135	0	2	90	0	
50 ,, ...	44	2,200	0	28	1,400	0	
55 ,, ...	...	...	0	...	...	0	
57½ ,, ...	1	57	8	...	...	0	
60 ,, ...	9	540	0	9	540	0	
65 ,, ...	...	...	0	...	...	0	
70 ,, ...	4	280	0	8	560	0	
75 ,, ...	7	525	0	5	375	0	The details for 1898-99 have been corrected by the Comptroller's office after the last report was printed. The corrected figures are given here.
80 ,, ...	2	160	0	2	160	0	
85 ,, ...	1	85	0	1	85	0	
90 ,, ...	...	...	0	1	90	0	
95 ,, ...	1	95	0	...	...	0	
100 ,, ...	43	4,300	0	34	3,400	0	
Total ...	3,16,842	1,92,572	2	3,71,311	2,26,689	10	
Receipt Stamps.							
One anna	2,23,112	13,944	8	2,37,573	14,848	8	

Sold at the Stamp Superintendent's Office.

Denomination.	1898-99		1899-1900.		
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	
Foreign Bill labels.					
2 Annas	.....	.....	26	3 4	
3 ,, ...	.....	.....	2	0 6	
4 ,, ...	.....	.....	26	6 8	
6 ,, ...	.....	.....	17	6 6	
8 ,, ...	.....	.....	8	4 0	
12 ,, ...	.....	.....	2	1 8	
1 Rupee	.....	.....	1	1 0	
Total ...	.....	.....	82	23 0	
Transfer Stamps.					
4 Annas	.....	.....	9	2 4	
1 Rupee	.....	.....	8	8 0	
Total ...	.....	.....	17	10 4	

No. 4—Statement showing the Receipt, Issues, Sale and Balance of three pie paper at the Head-Quarters and in the Districts for the year 1899-1900.

At the Head-Quarters.

Opening balance.		Receipts in the year.		Total.		Issues to districts in the year.		Balance.	
1		2		3		4		5	
Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.
11,301	56	...	...	11,361	56	60	...	1,1241	56

In the Districts.

Opening balance.		Receipts in the year.		Total.		Sales in the districts.		Balance.		Remarks.
6		7		8		9		10		11
Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	Reams.	Sheets.	
5,766	31	60	...	5,826	31	848	56	4,977	455	
Add as per Comptroller's statement of actual receipts by sale ...						3	...	.....		As given by the Officer in charge of Stamp Manufactory.
				Total ...		851	56			

No. 5—Comparative Statement of Stamp Duty realized in the Mysore Stamp Superintendent's Office, Bangalore during 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

Particulars.	1898-99.			1899-1900.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Bills of Exchange	38	0	0	179	0	0
Assignments	.....			16,866	8	0
Cheques and Receipt forms	1,845	0	0	1,718	14	0
Agreements	452	0	0	609	12	0
Other Instruments	3,344	0	0	9,138	12	0
Total ...	5,679	0	0	28,507	14	0

No. 6—Statement of Receipts and Sales of Stamps at the District of Mysore State during the year 1899-1900.

Particulars.	Bangalore.			Kolar.			Tumkur.		
	No.	Value.		No.	Value.		No.	Value.	
		Rs	a.		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.
General Stamps.									
Balance brought from last year's account	51,600	34,858	12	57,180	33,428	4	28,547	22,234	6
Received from the Superintendent of Stamps during the year.	41,068	61,084	0	...	.....		39,358	26,761	12
Total ...	92,668	95,942	12	57,180	37,428	4	67,905	48,996	2
Sold during the year	37,512	37,910	10	44,649	21,275	10	35,242	19,942	10
Issued for spoiled stamps or returns to the Superintendent of Stamps.	...	.....		...	.....		5	4	8
Total .	67,512	37,910	10	44,649	21,275	10	35,247	19,947	2
Balance	25,156	58,032	2	12,531	12,152	10	32,658	29,049	0
Court-Fee Stamps.									
Balance brought from last year's account.	49,518	46,329	13	63,228	49,624	4	51,010	36,'36	11
Received from the Superintendent do	104,420	1,03,596	8	34,381	25,272	8	82,757	59,093	2
Total ...	1,53,938	1,49,926	5	97,609	74,896	12	1,33,767	95,629	13
Sold during the year	110,350	99,911	10	52,485	37,253	2	44,435	32,427	11
Issued for spoiled stamps or returned ...	...	.....		...	.....		...	.....	
Total ...	110,350	99,911	10	52,485	37,253	2	44,435	32,427	11
Balance	43,588	50,014	11	45,124	37,643	10	89,332	63,202	2
Receipt Labels.									
Balance	14,323	895	3	29,610	1,850	10	17,780	1,111	4
Receipts	38,400	2,400	0	50,048	3,128	8	8,000	500	0
Total ...	52,723	3,295	3	79,658	,978	10	25,780	1,611	4
Sold	41,135	2,570	15	29,000	1,812	8	13,939	871	3
Issued for &c.	...	.....		...	.....		...	.....	
Total ..	41,135	2,570	15	29,000	1,812	8	13,939	871	3
Balance	11,588	724	4	50,658	3,166	2	11,841	740	1
Foreign Bill Labels.									
Balance	...	.....		...	.....		...	.....	
Receipts	...	.....		...	.....		...	.....	
Transfer Stamps.									
Balance	516	518	8	...	.....		55	18	14
Receipts	...	.....		...	.....		...	.....	

No. 6—Statement of Receipts and

Particulars.	Shimoga.				Kadur.			
	No.	Value.			No.	Value.		
General Stamps.		Rs.	a.			Rs.	a.	
Balance brought from last year's account ...	15,183	37,526	1		14,242	19,680	12	
Received from the Superintendent of Stamps during the year.	31,595	21,601	4		15,230	26,297	8	
Total ...	46,778	59,127	10		29,472	45,978	4	
Sold during the year	27,671	18,579	14		19,253	20,531	0	
Issued for spoiled stamps or returned to the Superintendent of Stamps.	4	2	0		1	0	8	
Total ...	27,675	18,581	14		19,254	20,531	8	
Balance	19,103	40,545	12		10,218	2,5446	12	
Court-Fee Stamps.								
Balance brought from the last year's account ...	46,772	75,303	12		18,297	25,014	4	
Received from the Superintendent do ...	52,867	70,543	12		36,110	39,815	10	
Total ...	99,639	1,45,847	8		54,407	64,829	14	
Sold during the year	60,500	69,535	10		34,811	36,163	13	
Issued for spoiled stamps or returned	3	1	8		...	.....		
Total ...	60,503	69,537	2		34,811	36,163	13	
Balance	39,136	76,310	6		19,596	28,666	1	
Receipt Labels.								
Balance	10,398	649	14		13,341	833	13	
Receipts	32,000	2,000	0		12,800	800	0	
Total ...	42,398	2,649	14		26,141	1,633	13	
Sold	26,144	1,634	0		21,824	1,364	0	
Issued for, &c.	1	0	1		...	.....		
Total ...	26,145	1,634	1		21,824	1,364	0	
Balance	16,253	1,015	13		4,317	269	13	
Foreign Bill Labels.								
Balance	...	.....			...	.....		
Receipts	...	.....			...	.....		
Transfer Stamps.								
Balance	...	.....			...	.....		
Receipts	...	.....			...	.....		

Sales of Stamps, &c.,—*Concluded.*

Chitaldrug.				Mysore.				Hassan.				Total,			
No.	Value.			No.	Value.			No.	Value.			No.	Value.		
	Rs.	a.			Rs.	a.			Rs	a.			Rs.	a.	
13,678	11,309	4		36,190	57,339	11		21,121	28,022	2		2,37,744	2,44,899	9	
12,239	8,530	8		1,27,988	77,208	4		41,115	24,012	8		3,08,593	2,45,495	12	
25,917	19,839	12		1,64,178	1,34,547	15		62,239	52,034	10		5,46,337	4,89,895	5	
17,613	10,556	2		1,23,115	77,477	2		36,256	20,416	10		3,71,311	2,26,689	10	
1	2	0		...	.....			.....	.....			11	9	0	
17,614	10,558	2		1,23,115	77,477	2		36,256	20,416	10		3,71,322	2,26,698	10	
8,304	9,281	10		41,063	57,070	13		25,983	34,618	0		1,75,015	2,63,196	11	
13,218	13,844	2		66,776	72,807	13		38,692	43,068	5		3,47,511	3,62,529	0	
15,392	12,187	12		1,36,580	1,19,027	6		71,747	67,442	8		5,34,254	4,06,979	2	
28,610	26,031	14		2,03,356	1,91,835	3		1,16,439	1,10,510	13		8,81,765	8,59,508	2	
17,737	13,710	8		1,45,066	1,26,932	13		58,578	49,333	6		5,23,962	4,65,268	9	
...	... ..			.....	.....			.. ...	.....			3	1	8	
17,737	13,710	8		1,45,063	1,26,932	13		58,578	49,333	6		5,23,965	4,65,270	1	
10,873	12,321	6		58,290	64,902	6		51,861	61,177	7		3,57,800	3,94,238	1	
18,409	843	11		24,295	1,516	9		16,357	1,022	5		1,39,573	8,728	5	
18,432	1,152	0		64,000	4,000	0		12,800	800	0		2,36,480	14,780	0	
31,931	1,995	11		88,265	5,516	9		29,157	1,822	5		3,76,053	23,503	5	
22,988	1,436	12		67,180	4,198	12		15,366	960	6		2,37,576	14,848	8	
...	.....			.....	.....			10		10		11		11	
22,988	1,436	12		67,180	4,198	12		15,376	961	0		2,37,587	14,849	3	
8,943	558	15		21,085	1,317	13		13,781	861	5		1,38,466	8,654	2	
...	.....			.....	.....			41	11	11		41	11	11	
...	... ..			.....	.....			.....	.....			.....	.....		
...	.....			.....	.....			.....	.....			571	567	6	
...	... ..			.....	.....			.....	.....			.....	.....		

No. 7—Statement showing the detailed Issues of Stamps made to the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury during 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

Denomination.	1898-99.				1899-1900.			
	No.	Value.			No.	Value.		
GENERAL STAMPS—		Rs.	a.	p.		Rs.	a.	p.
2 Annas	3,000	375	0	0	2,100	262	8	0
3 do	...	.....			...	.....		
4 do	3,000	750	0	0	1,500	375	0	0
5 do	...	.....			...	.....		
6 do	...	.....			150	56	4	0
8 do	3,000	1,500	0	0	2,250	1,125	0	0
9 do	...	.....			...	.....		
10 do	150	93	12	0	400	250	0	0
12 do	...	.....			...	.....		
15 do	...	.....			...	.....		
1 Rupee	900	900	0	0	600	600	0	0
1¼ Rupees	...	.....			...	.....		
1½ do	300	450	0	0	125	187	8	0
2 do	150	300	0	0	175	350	0	0
2¼ do	...	.....			...	.....		
2½ do	25	62	8	0	35	87	8	0
3 do	200	600	0	0	230	690	0	0
3½ do	...	.....			...	.....		
4 do	100	400	0	0	50	200	0	0
4½ do	5	22	8	0	...	.....		
5 do	150	750	0	0	100	500	0	0
6 do	60	360	0	0	60	360	0	0
7 do	15	105	0	0	...	.....		
7½ do	10	75	0	0	...	.....		
8 do	45	360	0	0	...	.....		
9 do	15	135	0	0	5	45	0	0
10 do	115	1,150	0	0	50	500	0	0
12 do	10	120	0	0	...	.....		
12½ do	...	.....			...	.....		
14 do	...	.....			...	.....		
15 do	30	450	0	0	30	450	0	
16 do	...	.....			...	.....		
17½ do	...	.....			...	.....		
18 do	...	.....			...	.....		
20 do	20	400	0	0	5	100	0	0
21 do	...	.....			...	.....		
22 do	...	.....			...	.....		
22½ do	...	.....			...	.....		
24 do	...	.....			...	.....		
25 do	15	375	0	0	...	.....		
27½ do	...	.....			...	.....		
28 do	...	.....			...	.....		
30 do	...	.....			5	150	0	0

Statement showing the detailed Issues of Stamps, &c.—*Concluded.*

Denomination.	1898-99.				1899-1900.			
	No.	Value.			No.	Value.		
		Rs.	a.	p.		Rs.	a.	p.
35 Rupees	15	525	0	0	...	.....		
40 do	10	400	0	0	...	.....		
45 do	...	.....			3	135	0	0
50 do	12	600	0	0	...	.....		
55 do	...	.....			...	.....		
57½ do	...	.....			...	.....		
60 do	...	.....			...	.....		
65 do	...	.....			...	.....		
70 do	...	.....			...	.....		
75 do	...	.....			...	.....		
80 do	...	.....			...	.....		
85 do	...	.....			...	.....		
90 do	5	450	0	0	...	.....		
95 do	...	.....			...	.....		
100 do	10	1,000	0	0	...	.....		
Total ...	11,412	13,738	12	0	7,873	8,123	12	0
COURT FEE STAMPS—								
1 Anna	1,800	112	8	0	5,850	365	10	0
3 Annas	...	.....			...	.....		
4 do	...	.....			3,240	810	0	0
6 do	450	168	12	0	630	236	4	0
8 do	2,700	1,350	0	0	15,300	7,650	0	0
12 do	450	337	8	0	1,440	1,080	0	0
1 Rupee	900	900	0	0	3,600	3,600	0	0
2 Rupees	450	900	0	0	1,170	2,340	0	0
3 do	360	1,080	0	0	270	810	0	0
4 do	270	1,080	0	0	270	1,080	0	0
6 do	90	540	0	0	360	2,160	0	0
10 do	75	750	0	0	195	1,950	0	0
15 do	50	750	0	0	80	1,200	0	0
20 do	60	1,200	0	0	105	2,100	0	0
25 do	30	750	0	0	15	375	0	0
30 do	40	1,200	0	0	30	900	0	0
35 do	10	350	0	0	25	875	0	0
40 do	25	1,000	0	0	30	1,200	0	0
45 do	...	.....			20	900	0	0
50 do	30	1,500	0	0	40	2,000	0	0
55 do	5	275	0	0	...	.....		
60 do	15	900	0	0	5	300	0	0
65 do	5	325	0	0	2	130	0	0
70 do	5	350	0	0	7	490	0	0
75 do	15	1,125	0	0	...	.....		
80 do	10	800	0	0	...	.....		
85 do	10	850	0	0	...	.....		
90 do	5	450	0	0	8	720	0	0
95 do	5	475	0	0	...	.....		
100 do	10	1,000	0	0	150	15,000	0	0
Total ...	7,875	20,518	12	0	32,842	48,271	14	0
RECEIPT STAMPS—								
1 Anna	102,400	6,400	0	0	57,600	3,600	0	0
TRANSFER STAMPS—								
Nil	.....	.....			.....	.....		
FOREIGN BILL LABELS—								
Nil	.....	.....			.....	.....		
NOTARIAL STAMPS—								
1 Rupee	108	108	0	0	.....	.....		

A.—Statement showing the Receipts and Sales of Stamps and Water-mark Papers in the Districts during the year 1899-1900.

Particulars.	Judicial.						Non-Judicial.								Total.	
	Court-fee adhesive stamps.		Court-fee stamp papers.		Water-mark paper (3 pie paper).		General stamp papers.		One anna receipt stamp labels.		Foreign bill labels.		Transfer stamps.			
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
		Rs. a.		R. a.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a. p.
Balance brought from last year's account.	342,272	1,96,265 0	5,239	1,66,264 0	2,767,711	43,245 7 9	237,744	2,44,399 9	139,573	8,723 5	41	11 11	571	567 6	3,493,151	6,59,476 6 9
Received from the Superintendent of Stamps, Manufactory, Bangalore during the year.	526,492	2,95,624 2	7,762	2,01,355 0	28,800	450 0 0	308,593	2,45,495 12	236,480	14,780 0	...	.....	...	.....	1,108,127	7,57,704 14 0
Total ...	868,764	4,91,889 2	13,001	3,67,619 0	2,796,511	43,695 7 9	546,337	4,89,895 5	376,053	23,503 5	41	11 11	571	567 6	4,601,278	14,17,181 4 9
Sold during the year ...	517,094	2,93,468 9	6,868	1,71,800 0	408,536	6,383 6 0	371,311	2,26,689 10	237,576	14,848 6	...	.....	...	.....	1,541,385	7,13,190 1 0
Issued for spoiled stamps or returned to Superintendent of Stamps.	3	1 8	...	.....	...	.....	11	9 0	11	0 11	...	.....	...	.....	25	11 3 0
Total ...	517,097	2,93,470 1	6,868	1,71,800 0	408,536	6,383 6 0	371,322	2,26,698 10	237,587	14,849 3	...	.....	...	.....	1,541,410	7,13,201 4 0
Balance carried to next year's account.	351,667	1,98,419 1	6,133	1,95,819 0	2,387,975	37,312 1 9	175,015	2,63,196 11	138,466	8,654 2	41	11 11	571	567 6	3,059,868	7,03,980 0 9

B.—Comparrtive statement showing the Revenue from Stamps during the year 1898-99 and 1899-1900.

No.	Particulars.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RECEIPTS.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	Court-fee stamps	4,10,155 12 0	4,78,468 7 0	68,312 11 0	.....
2	Special paper for Court purposes ...	5,919 3 0	6,383 6 0	461 3 0	.....
3	Recoveries on account of pauper suits.	1,709 6 0	1,038 11 4	.....	670 10 8
4	General stamps	1,92,572 2 0	2,26,689 0 0	34,116 14 0	.....
5	Receipt stamps	13,944 8 0	14,848 11 0	904 3 0	.....
6	Transfer stamps	.....	10 4 0	10 4 0	.....
7	Foreign bill labels	.....	23 0 0	23 0 0	.....
8	Duty, &c., recovered at the Stamp Superintendent's office.	5,679 2 0	28,507 14 0	22,828 12 0	.....
9	Penalties	10,106 4 6	12,280 12 0	2,174 7 6	.....
10	Miscellaneous	5,860 0 1	6,455 13 4	595 13 3	.....
	Total ...	6,45,946 5 7	7,74,705 14 8	1,29,130 3 9	670 10 8
	CHARGES.				
1	Stamp Superintendent's office establishment.	2,545 4 6	2,148 0 0	.....	397 4 6
2	Stamp Manufactory	8,375 0 0	6,648 0 0	.....	1,727 0 0
3	Cost of water-marked paper ...	9,036 4 6	648 0 5	.....	8,388 4 1
4	Contingencies ... Stamp Superintendent's office.	463 2 1	298 3 3	.....	164 14 10
	Contingencies ... Stamp Manufactory.	.....	894 13 3	894 13 3	.....
5	Rents	4,603 7 6	26,991 7 6	22,388 0 0	.....
6	Discount on sale of stamps ...	11,810 5 7	14,025 12 5	2,215 6 10	.....
7	Pay of salaried vendors	2,890 7 8	2,559 2 8	.....	331 5 0
	Total ...	39,723 15 10	54,213 7 6	25,498 4 1	11,008 12 5

No. 5554-6--Fl. 552, dated Bangalore, 29th January 1901.

Order thereon—The stock on hand at the beginning of the year under report, was of the value of Rs. 24,82,044, which was supplemented by receipts from the Stamp Manufactory to the value of Rs. 9,93,927, raising the total receipts to Rs. 34,75,971 against Rs. 33,59,178 in the previous year. The issues amounted to Rs. 10,49,758 against Rs. 8,77,134 in 1898-99, leaving a balance of the value of Rs. 24,26,213.

2. The revenue from Judicial stamps was Rs. 4,78,468 against Rs. 4,10,156 and that from non-Judicial stamps, Rs. 2,41,571 against Rs. 2,06,517 in the year 1898-99. The duty on documents presented at the Superintendent's office for impressment of stamps amounted to Rs. 28,508 against Rs. 5,679 in the previous year, the increase of Rs. 22,829 being chiefly due to the stamping of a deed of assignment sent by Messrs. Barclay, Orr & David, Solicitors, Madras, with the value of Rs. 16,865.

3. The value of stamps issued to the Civil and Military Station during 1899-1900 was Rs. 58,295-10-0, or Rs. 17,530-2-0 more than in the previous year.

4. The gross revenue under the different heads of stamps for 1899-1900 amounted to Rs. 7,74,705-14-8, or Rs. 1,28,759-9-1 more than in the previous year. This increase is attributed to the revival of trade and work in the Courts consequent on the abatement generally of plague in the state.

5. The expenditure in the Stamp Department, during the year under review was Rs. 54,213-7-6 against Rs. 39,723-15-10 in the previous year. The above increase in the expenditure is reported to be chiefly due to a large amount of refunds of duty having been granted by the Courts on appeal or review of judgment owing apparently to a larger number of uncontested and compromised cases and also to more money having been paid on account of 'Discounts' owing to larger sales of stamps and water-mark papers.

6. The net revenue amounted to Rs. 7,20,492-7-2, or Rs. 1,14,270-1-5 more than in the previous year. This is satisfactory.

7. The total number of stamps and water-marked papers received and in stock in the several districts, was of the aggregate value of Rs. 14,17,181-4-9, of which Rs. 7,13,201-4-0 worth of stamps and papers were sold during the year under report, leaving a balance of the value of Rs. 7,03,980-0-9 to be carried over to next year's accounts.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Superintendent of Stamps in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Officer in charge of the Government Stamp Manufactory.

Exd.—C. V.

READ—

Correspondence ending with letter No. 3920—116 of the 18th January 1901, from the Comptroller, Mysore Government.

No. 5606-5645—FL. 560, DATED BANGALORE, 31ST JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The Comptroller will be requested to insist upon an officer claiming under a general or special order an allowance during a halt at head-quarters under Article 555 (*a*) of the Mysore Service Regulations, furnishing a certificate that it was necessary to keep up camp equipage, and that no more than the actual expense of such up-keep (not exceeding the daily allowance) is claimed.

2. Similarly in the case of an officer supplied with Government tents, he must be required to certify that they were used solely for public purposes, if full cost of carriage is claimed, or that the whole or half the cost of carriage has been defrayed by himself according as such tents were used wholly for private purposes or partly for office and partly for private purposes.

3. The above certificates will be printed on the back of the travelling allowance bill when the next supply of such forms is issued from the Government Press. In the meantime the certificates must invariably be furnished in manuscript.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Heads of Departments.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Superintendent, Government Printing in Mysore.

Exd.—C.V.

EXCISE

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ—

Letter No. 384, dated the 13—18th February 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, submitting, for the orders of Government, correspondence in connection with the irregular sale of a house of one Hannemallappa, defaulting toddy vend farmer of the Ajjampur Circle for 1896-97, which sale was conducted free of all encumbrances instead of being confined only to the defaulter's right, title and interest in the property.

No. 5507-16—Ex. 271, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—It is observed from the records in the above case that Hannemallappa, who had taken up the contract of Ajjampur Circle for 1896-97 for a rental of Rs. 241-6-0 a month, fell into arrears to the extent of Rs. 246-3-0 at the end of the year. Coercive process had to be resorted to and the shekdar accordingly attached the defaulter's tiled house, his only property, and at the same time brought to notice that the house had already been mortgaged to one Karisiddaiya. Mr. Kumarswami Naik, the Assistant Commissioner in charge of Excise in the District, and C. V. Krishnaswami Rao, the Amildar, declared the house forfeited to Government under Section 159 of the Land Revenue Code, and the house, which was sold free of encumbrances, was purchased by one Mahadevanna for Rs. 725. The sale was confirmed by Mr. Kumarswami Naik in the face of a petition of objection presented by Gangamma, the wife of mortgagee Karisiddaiya, who asserted that she had obtained from the Munsiff's Court a decree of Rs. 900 against the same property. Out of the Rs. 725 realised at the sale as above, Rs. 321-5-7 were taken in liquidation of the Government dues (including (1) Rs. 246-3-0 referred to above, (2) dues on account of some other farm which the defaulter had also taken up, (3) interest on these sums), and the remainder, *viz.*, Rs. 403-10-5, was paid away to the defaulter, who is now reported to have become a pauper.

2. Government observe that the proceedings held in this case betray an utter ignorance of the first principles of law on the part of Mr. Kumarswami Naik, Assistant Commissioner, and also of C. V. Krishnaswami Rao, the Amildar. They ought to have known that the power to declare forfeiture is an extraordinary provision applicable only to land on which revenue arrears are due. The initial irregularity of applying this provision to the present case and the subsequent sale of the property free of encumbrances while only the right, title and interest of the defaulter were liable to sale, stamp the whole proceeding as illegal. In ordering the cancellation of the sale and the refund of the purchase money (Rs. 725) to Mahadevanna, the Government trust that this case will serve as a warning to others so as to prevent a recurrence of the irregularities which are highly discreditable to all concerned.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Excise Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District, returning enclosures.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.

PETITION

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ—

Petition of Appeal No. 272, dated 21st July 1897, presented by Siddalingegauda of Halenahalli in the Sira taluk, against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur district, directing the removal of a Vaddu (dam) constructed by the petitioner across the Kodihalla of Ajjanahalli and Bhupasandra tanks or the construction of a branch channel from the Vaddu, at the cost of the petitioner, to irrigate the lands of the Kalkunte raiyats situated lower down.

(2) *Letter No. 627, dated 18th April 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, reporting on the above.*

In reply to your Official Memoranda Nos. 182—Pet. and 363—Pet., dated, respectively, the 8th September and 18th October 1898, forwarding, for report, petitions from Siddalingegauda of Halenahalli in the Sira taluk, I have the honor to submit herewith the entire records connected with the construction by him of a Vaddu across the Kodihalla of the Ajjanahalli and Bhupasandra tanks and to report as follows:—

2. Across the *Kodihalla* of the Ajjanahalli and Bhupasandra tanks, there is a dam or *Vaddu* which irrigates petitioner's lands below it, covering an area of 20 acres and 7 guntas. This is not a private dam, as the petitioner alleges. It may have been constructed by his ancestors, who were the leading men of the village; but, there is nothing to show that it was ever recognized by Government as a private work. The lands under it have always been held on full assessment, and no concessions appear to have been made in respect of them, such as are usually granted for irrigation works of private enterprise. It seems to me, therefore, that the Vaddu was originally constructed by Government and that petitioner's ancestors who held all the lands under it were allowed to maintain it in good condition by doing the annual repairs. Originally, it was a construction of stone and earth, which allowed the water to percolate freely. The water thus running in the Kodihalla was caught up down below by a similar Vaddu and utilized for the irrigation of lands belonging to the Kalkunte and Gula villages. Attempts at strengthening the higher Vaddu and making it water-tight with the object of securing an ample supply of water to petitioner's lands under it, have always resulted in diminishing the supply of water to the lower one, thus giving rise to complaint on the part of Kalkunte raiyats. It will be seen from the records that such complaints were made in 1889, 1891 and 1894. After enquiring into the complaint, the Amildar of the day recorded the following order* on the 11th June 1894:—

* Vide paper No. 17 on the file.

"I have seen these Vaddas. Vadasigauda (uncle of petitioner) has not carried out any permanent work to the (higher) Vaddu. It is not proper that he should store water in the Vaddu by using leaves and branches of trees and pegs, when the tank is in floods. Kalkunte people have not allowed this to be done. This would prove disastrous to the holders of the large extent of wet land in Kalkunte."

3. The petitioner and his uncle evidently disregarded the above orders, and instead of trying to store additional water by means of branches of trees, petitioner went further and constructed a brick-in-chunam ane in the place of the earthen one which existed formerly. The raiyats of Kalkunte complained of this in July 1894 (see paper No. 20 on the file) and petitioner was warned by notice, dated 10th July 1894, not to proceed with the work. But it will be seen from paper No. 23 that the work executed up to the 13th July 1894 had the effect of making the dam entirely water-tight, to the prejudice of the Kalkunte raiyats. The petitioner completed the work by December 1894, in defiance of the Amildar's order. The Amildar in reporting upon the matter to the Probationary Assistant Commissioner (*vide* paper No. 36, Report No. 562, dated 26th December 1894) recommended the removal of the masonry ane. The Assistant Commissioner, who inspected the spot on 19th December 1895, was of opinion that, instead of ordering the demolition of the ane which was built *pukka* at a cost of eight or nine hundred rupees, Siddalingegauda (petitioner) might be directed to build, at his own cost, a separate sluice and excavate a new channel for the irrigation of Kalkunte lands. This recommendation was approved in my order No. 936, dated 10th May 1897. It is against this order that the petitioner has now appealed to Government.

4. The Vaddu has not yet been removed. Petitioner has not only unauthorizedly constructed the masonry dam in question but also has persistently failed to make provision for the Kalkunte lands which have been deprived of their supply of water. There is no doubt that the Kalkunte raiyats have been put to loss by the acts of the petitioner.

5. Petitioner's conduct in refusing to carry out the orders issued in the case was most reprehensible, and he had therefore to be threatened with suspension from his office of patel, if he persisted (*vide* my order No. 61, dated 8th July 1898). After he was

informed of this order, namely, on 21st July 1898, he seems to have appealed to Government. On the 10th September 1898, however, he has given a deposition before the Amildar, expressing his preparedness to allow a sluice in the dam for the use of the Kalkunte raiyats, the size of the vent in the sluice being determined with reference to the quantity of water they used to get by percolation from the old earthen dam. Under the circumstances of the case, it will be necessary, in the interests of the Kalkunte people, for Government to refuse to recognize the petitioner's ownership to the Vaddu in question, to declare it to be a Government work and to regulate the supply of water to both petitioner's and Kalkunte lands by the agency of Government officials.

6. The petitions under reply are herewith returned.

(3) *Letter No. 494, dated 20th November 1900, from the same reporting further on the above.*

With reference to your docket No. 9287—Pet. 951, dated 16th June 1899, calling for further information in regard to a Vaddu constructed by Siddalingegauda of Halenahalli in the Sira taluk, across the Kodihalla of the Ajjanahalli and Bhupasandra tanks, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of the Executive Engineer's docket No. 152 of the 31st August 1900, and of its enclosure together with the Kanarese papers relating to the case ending with Survey Superintendent's Yadast No. 5559, dated 31st October 1900, and to state as follows :—

(1). The Vaddu originally constructed by petitioner's uncle Udasegauda, apparently without authority, was a temporary structure. Petitioner Siddalingegauda built a masonry Vaddu in its place about the year 1894, in defiance of the Amildar's orders prohibiting him from doing so. (*Vide* Amildar's Report No. 562, dated 26th December 1894). The Vaddu irrigates Survey numbers 6, 7, 346—Part, 352, 353 and 354 of Halenahalli, measuring in all 20 acres and 7 guntas, and assessed at Rs. 119-4-0 (*vide* paper No. 68). From the "Asara" Patti (paper No. 29—1) furnished by the Survey Department, it is clear that these numbers are irrigated *directly from the Kallambella tank,* and are not dependent on any Vaddu. The absence of mention of any Vaddu in the Asara Patti is conclusive proof that at the time of its preparation no Vaddu was in existence for supplying water to, or supplementing the irrigation of the lands above mentioned.

(2). On the other hand, there is no doubt that a Vaddu existed from time immemorial for the irrigation of the Kalkunte lands. These lands are described in papers Nos. 65 and 66 on the file. Out of the total atchkat of 48 acres and 17 guntas, assessed at Rs. 240, only 2 acres and 11 guntas assessed at Rs. 9 are wet, and the remainder bagayat. Owing to the Vaddu being in a neglected condition, only 27 acres and 22 guntas assessed at Rs. 149-12-0 were under occupancy in 1897, the remaining 15 acres and 35 guntas being unoccupied. In the Asara Patti (paper No. 29—1) distinct mention is made in respect of numbers 164, 166, 189, 191, 192 and 193 of the Vaddu, as the source of supply. The other numbers are said to be dependent on wells, or on the katte in number 178.

2. The sketch map received from the Executive Engineer is also submitted herewith.

ENCLOSURE I.

Docket No. 152, dated 31st August 1900, from the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division, to the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur district.

His Yadast Nos. 148 and 277, dated 24th July 1899 and 15—16th August 1900, respectively, requesting for a sketch of the tract in connection with the construction of a Vaddu by Siddalingegauda across the Kodihalla of Ajjanahalli and Bhupasandra tanks, with undersigned's opinion, &c.

With reference to the above, has the honor to forward copy of No. 2 Sub-Divisional Officer's Report No. 267, dated 12th instant, with a tracing from the Revenue Survey plans, submitted by the Sub-Divisional Officer for information.

2. The undersigned agrees in the views expressed by the Sub-Divisional Officer.

3. The file received with his Yadast under review is herewith returned.

Enclosures :—

1 File of Kanarese correspondence.

1 Copy of Sub-Divisional Officer's report.

1 Tracing and plans.

ENCLOSURE II.

Letter No. 267, dated 12th August 1900, from No. 2 Sub-Division Officer, Sira, to the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division.

With reference to your No. 189, dated 11th August 1899, forwarding a file of correspondence from the Revenue Department and calling for a rough sketch of the site of the disputed Halenahalli anikat, showing the sources of water-supply to it, as well as irrigable areas, &c., together with a report on the same.

I beg to submit herewith a tracing made out from the Village Revenue Survey maps of Kellambella, Halenahalli, Bhupasandra, Ajjanahalli and Dodgula, showing on the same the positions of Halenahalli and Kalkunte Vaddus across Kodihallas of Bhupasandra and Ajjanahalli tanks together with irrigable atchkat under both.

From the tracing herewith submitted it will be observed that Bhupasandra Kodihalla joins with that of Ajjanahalli tank at a distance of about half a mile below the bund of the latter tank. Across these two Kodihallas two Vaddus are put up in the positions marked on the tracing. The one above is stated to have been put up by Halenahelli Siddalingegauda's ancestors to pick up water for irrigation of about 20 acres (please *ride* marked with red pencil on the tracing) belonging to Halenahalli village. The other lower down is claimed as having been put up by Kalkunte villagers for irrigation of about 53 acres of their village which is stated to be Majaray hamlet of Dodgula. The owner of the upper anikat, *viz.*, Siddalingegauda, has strengthened his dam by masonry body wall and apron supported by toe wall. The length of this dam is 43 feet and its crest is about 5 feet above bed level of stream. The returns are kept up 4 feet above crest of dam. The length of weirs of Bhupasandra and Ajjanahalli tanks is 320 and 270 feet, respectively. Even slight discharge of about half a foot over these will produce a head of more than 5 feet over the anikat. This anikat would have been washed away by the first discharge over the weirs of the above tanks, if Siddalingegauda had put up the right wing bund and if the ground level on right bank were higher than 2 or 3 feet above crest level of the anikat. Now, as it is, as the extra water above 2½ feet over the anikat escapes over the low groin on right bank, this anikat may stand for some years, provided that there is not very heavy discharge over the weirs of above tanks. Under such circumstances, allowing a channel in the right bank of this anikat for Kalkunte villagers may end in deviation of the present Kodihalla.

A head sluice with a vent of 1½' × 1' is built up to the irrigation channel above this anikat keeping its sill 2 feet below the crest. This gives a discharge of about 9½ cubic feet per second or nearly ten times more than required for irrigation of 20 acres possessed by Siddalingegauda of Halenahalli village. Under such constructive details, it is evident that Siddalingegauda monopolizes all the waste water that might come into the halla during hot weather without allowing anything to the lower anikat. To prevent this undue advantage taken by him on his own responsibility, I am of opinion that the present vent of the head sluice may be got lessened to 9" × 6" and a gap of 3' × 1¼' to be opened out in the body wall of the anikat, so that the latter might serve to supply the lower anikat with water as well as act as a scouring sluice to the anikat.

The lower anikat or Kalkunte Vaddu is situated about 3 furlongs below Halenahalli Vaddu at the position marked in the tracing. The crest of this Vaddu is about 3 feet above bed level of the stream. This is made up of simply stone and turf and is in a much neglected state. A small gap is formed at its right end which could easily be filled up temporarily whenever required and water led off in the channel for irrigation of Kalkunte village lands now under raiyats' holding to the extent of about 53 acres, as marked with blue pencil on the tracing, Survey numbers marked with red pencil in the same to the extent of about 21 acres stated to be waste lands, belonging to the atchkat of the same Vaddu. The revenue for the lands under raiyats' holding is stated to be Rs. 160 and that of the waste lands Rs. 115. The channel from this Vaddu as it now stands seems to have been neglected and not utilized at all for past many years. If Kalkunte raiyats clear this channel to its original depth and agree to repair their anikat, the work suggested above may be got done to the upper anikat to facilitate water-supply to their Vaddu; otherwise, the water that will be let out from the upper anikat will only be wasted.

The tracing herewith submitted belongs to the file of Kallamballa tank, which may kindly be ordered to be returned after retaining a copy of it in a separate tracing cloth. The file of correspondence is herewith re-submitted.

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(4). The records of the case.

No. 5333-40—P. 892, DATED BANGALORE, 18TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON.—This matter has been pending disposal for nearly ten years. It arose from an attempt on the part of the petitioner to construct in masonry and make water-tight, a rough and ready dam across the channel of the surplus waters of Bhupasandra and Ajjanahalli tanks which diverted a small quantity of water to irrigate his lands bearing Survey Nos. 6, 7 part of 346, 352, 353 and 354 of Halenahalli and an extent of 20 acres and 7 guntas (assessment Rs. 119-4-0). The rest of the water which was escaping through and over the dam was arrested by another dam lower down and utilized for irrigating more than a hundred acres of Kalkunte lands.

2. The findings of both the Deputy Commissioner and his Assistant are concurrent on this point and the Government see no reason to differ from them. The ground of complaint against the petitioner is that he acted contrary to long existing usage, and by making the dam higher than before and water-tight, intercepted the whole of the water, a greater part of which was escaping for the use of the Kalkunte raiyats, and thus deprived them of the source of irrigation. The Executive Engineer agrees, with an opinion given by his subordinate, that the petitioner by his act, takes away ten times as much water as is wanted by him, and the whole of this is allowed to go waste. It is preposterous to contend that the petitioner has any prescriptive right to commit any such wasteful act, and it is a matter of regret that the district authorities did not absolutely prevent him from building the dam. The place of this occurrence is not far off from the district or the taluk head-quarters and personal and vigorous action on the part of these authorities would have put a stop to the unlawful act of the petitioner which has been allowed to drag on for years. The Government cannot absolve the local authorities of great procrastination and indecisive orders which were not vigorously enforced. Giving an order and not seeing to its proper execution are not the characteristics of an efficient administration and these papers betray this defect. The Amildar took three years and three months in passing an order on the complaint presented to him by the raiyats of Kalkunte, dated 5th March 1891, and the reference has again been delayed for more than a year by the Deputy Commissioner and the Executive Engineer for which there is no explanation, with the result that the petitioner has been allowed to maintain the dam which he wrongfully constructed, for several years. This delay cannot, however, prejudice the right of Government to utilize the surplus water of the tank referred to above or of the Kalkunte raiyats who were actually using the water. The best solution appears to be that which has been suggested by the Executive Engineer, namely, "that the present vent of the head sluice may be got lessened to 9″ by 6″ and a gap of 3′ by 1¼′ to be opened out in the body wall of the anikat, so that the latter might serve to supply the lower anikat with water as well as act as a scouring sluice to the anikat." The Deputy Commissioner will see that this order is promptly enforced. The petitioner is said to be a patel and the heinousness of his act is thereby the more aggravated, and unless he executes the remedial work suggested by the Executive Engineer, within a reasonable time, he must be removed from his appointment. The Deputy Commissioner will, in any case, carry out the necessary work to alter the dam as above directed.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, with records.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.

READ—

Petition of appeal No. 885, dated 4th September 1896, presented by Chelliah, shanbhog of Madamangala in the Bowringpet taluk, against the order of the Deputy Commissioner directing the sale by public auction of Survey No. 27 in the bed of the breached tank of Chintiganakere said to have been in his possession since 1889.

2. Letter No. 1169—229, dated 27th September 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, reporting with reference to the above, that on the darkhast of the petitioner in 1889-90, the lands in the bed of the breached tank in question were ordered to be granted to him by the then Deputy Commissioner on 19th October 1889 on temporary kandayam on his executing a muchalika to the effect that they should be given up whenever required without claiming any compensation therefor; that the order was not given effect to as the petitioner desired the darkhast to be cancelled as the cultivating season was over; that the petitioner was in the year 1890-91 permitted to cultivate the lands temporarily for one year; that on his prayer for the grant of the lands on permanent kandayam tenure, he was informed that the said lands could only be given from year to year and not on permanent tenure as they might be disposed of under the Darkhast Rules at any time; that the lands were put in the possession of the petitioner in the year Jaya and Vijaya on the above terms as no other darkhast had been then received, and that as more applications than one were received in the year 1896-97, the said lands were advertised for sale and knocked down to one Fakir Mohadin Sabi for Rs. 150.

3. Letter Nos. 721, dated 26th November 1900, from the same reporting further that Survey Nos. 24 and 27 in the bed of the said breached tank are not now in the occupancy of any individual as the tank has since been restored and the lands under reference have been treated as kharab forming the tank bed; and that as regards the delay of three years in the submission of the first report, it has been reported by the Amildar that the taluk munshi at fault had been since retired for having kept such papers in arrears.

4. The records of the case.

No. 5325-32—P. 891, DATED BANGALORE, 18TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—No orders are required on this petition as regards the complaint of Chelliah, as the tank has been since restored and the bed resumed as water stands thereon.

2. The explanation of the Amildar for the delay of three years in replying to the reference made to him by the Deputy Commissioner and throwing the blame upon a retired munshi is ridiculous, and it is surprising that the Deputy Commissioner accepted such explanation. The Amildar concerned must be reprimanded, and the Deputy Commissioner must make arrangements for unanswered references receiving better scrutiny in his office.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, with records.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.

READ THE FOLLOWING PROCEEDINGS—

READ—Petition No. 1690—51 of 1895-96, presented by Govindappa of Hirekarapanhalli, Bowringpet taluk, complaining that in reply to his petition to the Inam Department for revision in accordance with the Government Orders of 1883 of the settlement of his Kodagi Inam attached to the Hosakere tank in the said village, he received an endorsement from the Amildar in 1895, to the effect that the Inam had been resumed by the late Inam Superintendent in 1872; and praying that the Inam which has been in his enjoyment may be confirmed to him.

(2) Docket No. 2259—592, dated 19th December 1895, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, reporting that no effect was given to the order of resumption passed in 1872, and that the papers bearing on the subject were not forthcoming in the Taluk Cutcherry.

(3) Correspondence ending with docket No. 2715—728, dated 13th January 1896, from the same officer reporting as the result of further enquiry, that no clue was found as to the whereabouts of the Inam Superintendent's order No. 150, dated 30th June 1871, while that officer's order No. 610, dated 26th March 1889, was stated to have been referred to shekdar Hanumanta Rao, who was reported to have since died.

No. 7859-66—P. 1574, DATED BANGALORE, 2ND MARCH 1896.

ORDER THEREON—The Kodagi Inam in question was finally ordered to be resumed on the ground that the tank was out of repair, so long ago as January 1872. Not only was no effect given to this order, but the whole record bearing on the matter is reported to be missing. In the meanwhile, the Kodagidar has been enjoying the land, and now asks for recognition of his right to this inam and for revision of the Inam settlement in respect of it in accordance with the Orders of Government, dated 29th September 1888.

2. It is to be regretted that the record has not been found. It behoves the Deputy Commissioner to look into this matter personally and endeavour his best to find the record. The careless officials responsible for this loss must be punished and the result reported to Government.

3. To decide the question regarding the validity of the resumption of this land, it is necessary to know the present condition of the tank, the extent of the Kodagi land and that of the Government holdings below the tank. A report should be submitted on these points, which should clearly mention whether the whole of the atchkat under the tank was always occupied and whether it was wholly or partially and if so, to what extent, cultivated. This information should be given for the period from the date on which the resumption of the Inam was ordered.

4. It is possible that there may be cases similar to this in other districts also. Deputy Commissioners will make the necessary enquiries and see that all orders for resumption of Inam lands have been given effect to.

READ—

Letter No. 1268--205, dated 8th October 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar district, submitting a statement of the statistics of cultivation below the said Hosakere Kodigi tank and reporting that the total atchkat (as per Survey) under the tank is 28 acres and 38 guntas and that the area of occupied lands (from the year 1872 the date of the resumption of the Inam to Vilambi 1898-99) is from 9 acres and 2 guntas to 16 acres and 28 guntas, leaving 2 acres and 11 guntas as unoccupied waste at the end of the year Vilambi; that this indicates that the tank is in an efficient condition and that the Amildar who inspected the tank had certified to that effect.

No. 5347-55—P. 895, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—This report is a reply to Government Order dated 2nd March 1896, and the Government are compelled to conclude that the Deputy Commissioner could not have noticed the very long delay of more than four years in submitting what after all is a statement of the statistics of cultivation, as, if he had done so, it is natural that the Government should have been favored with some explanation of this unsatisfactory delay. This instance is not the first of its kind from the Kolar district, and it is hoped that the present Deputy Commissioner will infuse activity and promptness into the working of his office.

2. The other unsatisfactory feature of this case is that the order of the Inam Superintendent directing the resumption of this Kodagi Inam was not carried out. The record itself cannot be traced. The Deputy Commissioner, though requested to do so, has again failed to report the action he took on the receipt of the Government Order to which this letter is a reply, but which does not make any allusion at all to the result of the further investigation ordered. The fact remains that the Kodagidar has continued to enjoy his Inam during the last 29 years and the tank is reported to have been maintained in an efficient condition. Under these circumstances it seems hard and inequitable to give effect to the Order of 1872 and deprive the Inamdar of his Inam holding which he has still in his enjoyment. Before passing final orders in the matter, however, these papers will be sent to the Inam Superintendent, who will favor Government with his views after a consideration of the facts above set forth. The favor of an early reply from the Inam Superintendent is solicited.

G. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
The Inam Superintendent, with the entire file.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts, for information.

READ—

Petition No. 1128, dated 7th November 1894, presented by B. K. Garudachar, proprietor of the kayamgutta village of Vajirahalli in the Bangalore taluk, complaining that the oil-mill tax in the said village, which was being enjoyed by himself and his predecessors ever since the grant of the village in 1820-21, is being collected and credited to Government by the Amildar since the year 1889-90, and praying that the said collection by Government may be discontinued and the amount collected since refunded to him.

2. The following replies received from the Superintendent of the Inam Settlements and the Deputy Commissioners of districts with reference to Government Proceedings Nos. 619-27—Rev. 217 and 9651-58—R. F. 125-96, dated 10th July 1895, and 25th April 1897, respectively, calling for information regarding the collection of mohatarfa in kayamgutta and other alienated villages in each of the districts:—

(1)	Letter No. 260, dated 2nd October 1895, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.	
(2)	Correspondence ending	with No. 522, dated 16th November 1897, from the Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District.
(3)	Ditto	with No. 519—486, dated 4th December 1897, from the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District.
(4)	Ditto	with No. 2110—621, dated 22nd December 1897, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
(5)	Ditto	with No. 1055—873, dated 21st March 1898, from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.
(6)	Ditto	with No. 333 of 8th September 1898, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
(7)	Ditto	with No. 350, dated 16th November 1898, from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District.
(8)	Ditto	with No. 626, dated 10th January 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.
(9)	Ditto	with No. 61, dated 3rd March 1899, from the Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore.

3. Petition No. 2626, dated 8th February 1897, presented by Srikanteswara Sastri, Agent of the Sringeri Mutt, complaining that the Amildar was alleged to have made in 1897 the mohatarfa-jamabandi of Gavatur village in the Nagar taluk, attached to the Mutt; and praying that the Mutt right to enjoy the mohatarfa of the village in question may not be interfered with.

READ AGAIN—

Proceedings of Government No. 1625—128, dated 13th June 1884.

No. 5650-58—PET.951, DATED BANGALORE, 31ST JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The basis of Garudachar's complaint is an innovation started by the Amildar of the Bangalore taluk, on the supposed authority of Government Proceedings No. 1625—128, dated 13th June 1884, which directed that an Inamdar or more particularly a Kayamguttadar was not entitled to the mohatarfa revenue, unless it was conceded to him by the terms of the sannad or formed part of the assets taken into calculation when the gutta was fixed. Vajirahalli, the village to which the present dispute refers, was settled by the Inam Department and the mohatarfa revenue was not reserved to Government. In other words, the enjoyment of the Inamdar was not restricted to pure land revenue. Some items, as Sayer, Abkari and Forests, were reserved. Moreover this item of revenue had been long in the enjoyment of the Kayamguttadar. It would appear, therefore, that the Order of 1884 was not meant to apply to such cases, and the disturbance of an existing enjoyment without further authority was an innovation which the Amildar ought not to have taken upon himself to introduce. As, under the circumstances above mentioned, the petitioner is entitled to the enjoyment of the oil-mill tax wrongly withheld from him, the Deputy Commissioner is requested not to interfere with it hereafter and to refund to the petitioner (Garudachar) the amount which has heretofore been wrongly collected and credited to Government.

2. There is also a representation by the Agent of the Sringeri Mutt that the mohatarfa revenue of the village of Gavatur in the Nagar taluk was wrongly collected by the Amildar. The subsequent reports show that such interference did not continue, and the complaint has perhaps thus abated.

3. It is understood from the reports of the Deputy Commissioners that apart from the 11 villages *(list A) the mohatarfa of which has been reported by the Inam Superintendent to have been reserved to Government, there are several others as per list †B appended, wherein Government collect the mohatarfa without any objection by the Inamdars. This matter will be brought to the notice of the Inam Superintendent for further action or revision of settlement so as to conform it to the existing usage. The result of his action will be reported for the information of Government.

**A. List of villages the mohatarfa of which was reserved to Government at the Inam Settlement.*

Village.	Taluk.
1 Kanasinakatte (Jodi)	Shimoga.
2 Majigenahalli (Survamanya) ...	Do
3 Uragaduru (Jodi)	Do
4 Hosahalli (Aravasi Agrahar) ...	Do
5 Chikkakudli (Jodi)	Do
6 Kunigalkatte (Jodi)	Honnali.
7 Virabhadrapura alias Puttuguppe (Agrahar).	Nagar.
8 Myakaluchalli (Mahal Jodi) ...	Hiriyur.
9 Kamakshihalli (Jodi)	(Originally Koratagere in the Tumkur district, but since transferred to Bangalore district.)
10 Tammalapura (Kayamgutta) ...	Hassan.
11 Toraganahalli (Jodi)	Do

†B. List of villages the mohatarfa of which is credited to Government without any objection by the Inamdars though the same was not reserved to Government at the Inam Settlement.

Bangalore district.	
1 Kacharakhalli	Kayamgutta villages.
2 Banasavadi	
3 Mattikere	
4 Lingarajapura	
5 Amruthalli	
6 Kottanur	
7 Narayanpura	
8 Koramangla	
9 Ambalipura	
10 Gulkamale	
Mysore district.	
11 Aravanhalli	Sarvamanya.
12 Thorechokanahalli	
Hassan district.	
13 Agrahar (Stat Kayamgutta village, Arsikere taluk).	
Shimoga district.	
14 Hanumasagara	
15 Gopagondanahalli	
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4. In his letter No. 626, dated 10th January 1899, the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore has reported that the Assistant Commissioner Mr. Venkata Rao gave away the right to collect mohatarfa to the holder of the alienated village of Tippur in the Hunsur taluk on the Jamabandi Takrar Takta (on the 1st February 1896). It is surprising that the Deputy Commissioner did not feel the necessity of examining the record and satisfying himself that the action of the Assistant Commissioner was not open to any objection. The records connected with the case will be sent for the perusal of Government.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, with records.
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.
The Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore.

Exd.—CV.

FOREST

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ THE FOLLOWING —

Letter No. 2035—29, dated the 11th December 1900, from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

I have the honor, with reference to Section 23 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, to forward for publication in the *Gazette* a draft Notification constituting all existing State Forests and Plantations State Forests under the Regulation.

2. The draft has been so arranged that the forests are detailed in one list. But it would, I think, be better for purposes of reference, if a separate notification were issued in respect of each district concerned, the preamble being repeated in each case.

3. I request that, if approved, the notification or notifications may be issued on or as soon as possible after the 1st proximo, so that the introduction in practice of the Regulation so far as concerns State Forests may not be unnecessarily delayed.

No. 416—FT. F. 15-1900, DATED BANGALORE, 7TH JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The Government are pleased to direct that Notifications as hereunder be published in the *Mysore Gazette.*

J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

NOTIFICATIONS.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 23 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, No XI of 1900, the Government of Mysore are pleased to declare that the undermentioned forests and plantations which were notified as State Forests under the "Rules for the Administration of forests and waste-lands in the Territories of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore" (1878), shall be State Forests under the aforesaid Regulation :—

No 417—FT. F. 15-1900, DATED BANGALORE, 7TH JANUARY 1901.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Order.	Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.			
Ainurmarigudi ...	No. 3573—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 1st October 1896.	Bogalkuppe (No. 2.) ...	No. 5843—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 23rd February 1899.
Begur	ditto.	Kapila Block (No. 1 teak).	No. 3573—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 1st October 1896.
Chamrajnagar ..	ditto.	Ditto No. 2. ..	ditto.
Kakankote	ditto.	Bisappanakatte, (Sandal) ...	ditto.
Metikuppe	ditto.	Hampapur do ...	ditto.
Narayandrug	No. 1641—Ft. F. 94-95, dated 9th August 1897.	Padakapur	ditto.
Moyar	No. 3255—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 7th November 1898.	Maddur (Gall-nut) ...	ditto.
Berambadi	No. 5811—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 23rd February 1899.	Hongahalli	ditto.
Bandipur	ditto.	Bommenahalli (Sandal) ...	No. 4921—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 20th January 1899.
Kachavanahalli ...	No. 1173—Ft. F. 145-95, dated 4th August 1900.	Avarepur	No. 5843—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 23rd February 1899.
Anechowkur and Mavkal...	ditto.	Hosur Marigudi (Sandal) ...	ditto.
Gulledahalla	ditto.	Kotigekaval	ditto.
Kalhabetta (Blocks I and II).	ditto.	Panchavalli (Sandal) ...	ditto.
Dodharve	No. 390—Ft. F. 145-95, dated 22nd December 1900.	Naihal'a do ...	ditto.
Viranahosahalli ...	No. 391—Ft. F. 145-95, dated 22nd December 1900.	Kachunahalli do ...	ditto.
(b) Plantations.		Matad kaval	ditto.
Karapura	No 35-73—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 1st October 1896.	Yelwal, Residency Compound (Sandal).	ditto.
Nissen	ditto.	Hasuvina kaval ...	ditto.
Anechowkur	ditto.	Kurugahalli (Sandal) ...	No. 5961—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 25th February 1899.
Manchagandanahalli (No. 1 teak).	ditto.		
Ditto Amrut Mahal (No. 1 teak).	ditto.	Bastipur do ..	ditto.
Do do No. 2. ...	ditto.	Talkad Sand Dunes ...	No. 3064—Ft. F. 166-95, dated 11th October 1900.

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HASSAN DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.	
Vijapur	No. 2572—Ft. 139, dated 4th September 1895.
Baisur	ditto.
Dodbetta forest group ...	ditto.
Burdalbore kaval forest ...	ditto.
Sigadagudda	ditto.
Hagarekaval	ditto.
Herikalgudda	ditto.
Gobli (Sandal Reserve) ...	ditto.
Gubbi (do) ...	ditto.
Kemmanbore or Kendine, (Sandal Reserve.)	ditto.
Nakalgude Udve (do) ...	ditto.
Mallappanbetta (do) ...	ditto.
Gaudagere (do) ...	ditto.
Vantegudda (do) ...	ditto.
Jajur (Reproduction Block)	ditto.
Kabbinale	No. 12,258—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 27th June 1898.
Kemphole	ditto.
Ramadevarhalla ...	No. 11,657—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 14th June 1898.
Kollalbore	ditto.
Mandira (gallnut reserve)...	ditto.
Kaginere	No. 8515—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 30th May 1900.
Bikkode	No. 1349—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 13th August 1900.
Byaba	No. 2995—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 9th October 1900.
Bisle	No. 409—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 31st December 1900.
(b) Plantations.	
Gendekattekaval ...	No. 2572—Ft. 139, dated 4th September 1895.
Bhaktarvalli	ditto.
Bendekere	ditto.
Agrahara (Casuarina) ...	No. 11,657—Ft. F. 40-95, dated 14th June 1898.
Kellangere-Kodiballi ...	ditto
Hirikere	ditto.
Hongerekaval	ditto.
Gadenahalli	ditto.

No. 419—Ft. 15-1900, dated Bangalore, 7th January 1901.

KADUR DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.	
Tegurgudda	No. 2574—Ft. 141, dated 14th September 1895.
Muthodi	ditto.
Do extension ...	No. 3316—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 15th November 1898.
Lakvalli	No. 5205—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 14th December 1897.
Kagimanegeri (consisting of 2 blocks). (1) Kagimanegeri ... (2) Waddehatti ..	No. 3316—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 15th November 1898.
Mathawar (Sandal Reserve)	No. 4181—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 1st November 1896.
Kalgane (do)...	No. 3289—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 19th October 1900.
Sargode	No. 405—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 31st December 1900.
Basavankote	
Basti	
Tyagadabagi	No. 407—Ft. F. 39-95, dated 31st December 1900.
(b) Plantations.	
Hebbe (Teak)	No. 2574—Ft. 141, dated 14th September 1895.
Kardihalli	ditto.

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SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. of date of Govt. Notifn.	Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.			
Shankar	No. 23538—R. 3437, dated 19th June 1895.	Kukwada Ubrani ...	No. 23538—R. 3437, dated 19th June 1895.
Sacrebail	ditto	Malandur	ditto
Kavali	ditto	Puradhal	ditto
Basavanandihalli ...	ditto	Togarsi	ditto
Telagadde	ditto	Koralkoppa (sandal reserve)	ditto
Arctelagadde	ditto	Aldahara ...	No. 6465—Ft. F. 36-95, dated 18th January 1898.
Kunchenahalli ...	ditto	Umblebail Hunsekatte ...	No 6967—Ft. F. 36-95, dated 6th April 1899.
Kumsi	ditto	(b) Plantations.	
Masarur	ditto	Sacrebail	No. 23538—R. 3437, dated 19th June 1895.
Karadibetta	ditto	Kalenahalli	ditto
Chandragutti	ditto	Siddihalli ...	ditto
Belandur	ditto	Ainur (sandal reserve) ...	No. 3038—Ft. 153, dated 20th September 1897.
Bettadakurli	ditto	Channageri do ...	ditto
Chandrakal	ditto	Anapingatte Plantation ...	ditto
Chornyadehalli (of Umblibail.)	ditto	Alkole (sandal reserve) ...	ditto
Gangavanasara ...	ditto	Shimoga Revenue Plantation	No. 1352—Ft. F. 36-95, dated 18th August 1898.
Kavadi	ditto	Shikarpur do ...	ditto

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KOLAR DISTRICT.

Forests or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.	Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.			
Narasimhadevarabetta Blocks II and III.	No. 813—Ft. F. 163-95, dated 22nd July 1896.	Mallappanahalli ...	No. 10407—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 29th May 1896.
Do Block IV ...	No. 9290—Ft. F. 96-95, dated 16th June 1899.	Kadmutsandra ...	ditto
Rayalpad (3 blocks) ...		Yesvantapura (A and B) .	ditto
Block I—Mudumudugasunakal.		Lakshmisagata ...	ditto
Do II—Valsekonda Forest.	No. 2245—Ft. F. 96-95, dated 27th August 1896.	Vakkaleri (A and B) ...	ditto
Do III—Valesvarabetta Forest.		Do (C) ...	ditto
Adagal-Nelavanki ...	ditto	Byappanahalli	ditto
Valsebetta	No. 4109—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 6th November 1897.	Kasipura	ditto
Kamasandra	No. 11944—Ft. F. 96-95, dated 21st June 1898.	Karbelè	ditto
Srinivaspur	No. 375—Ft. F. 96-95, dated 22nd December 1900.	Jangamkote	ditto
Agara		Chikhardi	ditto
Nandy	No. 403—Ft. F. 96-95, dated 31st December 1900.	Doddahardi	ditto
(b) Plantations.		Kamasettihalli ...	ditto
Dinneri	No. 10407—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 29th May 1896.	Sambargida kaval ...	ditto
New Kurandahalli (A and B blocks).	ditto	Konappalli	No. 4107—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 6th November 1897.
Old Kurandahalli ...	ditto	Malur	ditto
Marsandra	ditto	Patrahalli	ditto
Ramchandrapura ...	ditto	Beechaganahalli ...	ditto
Bellavi	ditto		

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BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.	Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.			
The Cauvery forest including Basavanbetta and Chilandadi forests.	No. 8, dated 16th April 1884.	Appasandra ...	No. 10407—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 29th May 1896.
Bilikal	ditto	Peenya	ditto
Kumbalgodu	ditto	Jalahalli	ditto
Makali	ditto	Kenchainhalli	ditto
Mannuguddé	ditto	Mallathahalli	ditto
Ragihalli	ditto	Nagarbhavi	ditto
Savandurga	ditto		
Kabbaldrug	No. 174, dated 18th November 1884.	Hebbal	ditto
		Kadgodi	ditto
Banantimari	No. 11089—Ft. F. 155-95, dated 18th June 1897.	Kodagehalli	ditto
		Bettahalli A	ditto
Dodballapur	ditto	Do B	ditto
Handigondi	ditto		
Hulurbetta	ditto	Jarakabandè A ...	ditto
Tenginakal	ditto	Do B ..	ditto
Muggur	No. 3278—Ft. F. 155-95, dated 17th October 1900.	Jaksandra	ditto
		Krishnarajapura ..	ditto
		Mavinkonnanhalli ...	ditto
(b) Plantations.		Kenchinapura	ditto
Tatnur	No. 10407—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 29th May 1896.	Machohalli	ditto
		Do A	ditto
Tindal	ditto	Kallupalya	ditto
New Jadigenahalli ...	ditto	Govindapura	ditto
Old do ...	ditto	Sambargida kaval ...	ditto
Nellal (A and B) ...	ditto	Gundragolipura ...	ditto
Do (C) ...	ditto	Junsandra	ditto

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TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.	Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.			
Devarayadurga including Doddavadibetta.	No. 38, dated 6th February 1883 and, No. 3839—Ft. 227, dated 12th October 1895.	Ankapura	No. 10407—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 29th May 1896.
		Marsettihalli	ditto
		Harrenhalli	ditto
Kudrekanve	No. 3839—Ft. 227, dated 12th October 1895.	Bennehallada kaval ...	ditto
Kemplapur (sandal reserve)	ditto	Sulekere	No. 10599—Ft. F. 38-95, dated 2nd June 1896.
Maddagiri (Block 1—Maddagiri).	No. 166!—Ft. F. 38-95, dated 31st August 1898.	Hirehalli	ditto
Do (do 2—Chikkamaddagiri).		Nagenahalli	ditto
		Rambanadahanta ..	ditto
Do (do 3—Kolikal).	No. 3839—Ft. 227, dated 12th October 1895.	Kadumattikere ...	ditto
Huliyurdurga (Huliyurdurga block, Oojani block and Ippadi).	No. 7150—Ft. F. 38-95, dated 1st February 1897.	Krishnapura kaval ...	ditto
Thirtharampura ...	No. 9385—Ft. F. 38-95, dated 27th April 1897.	Dasarahalli	No. 4106—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 6th November 1897.
Manchaldhore	No. 16?4—Ft. F. 38-95, dated 7th August 1897.	Mallasandra	ditto
Bukkapatna	No. 394—Ft. F. 38-95, dated 22nd December 1900.	Gollahalli	ditto
		Ballapura	ditto
(b) Plantations.		Linganahalli	ditto
Pandithanhalli ...	No. 10407—Ft. F. 153-95, dated 29th May 1896.	Adagur	ditto
Goravipura	ditto	Gantiganahalli (1st and 2nd blocks).	ditto
Gubbi (Chensettihalli Honnavalli, Netgunte blocks).	ditto	Toresuragondanahalli ...	ditto
Ammangatta	ditto		
Uddihoskere	ditto	Viragondanahalli ...	ditto

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CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.	Forest or Plantation.	No. and date of Govt. Notifn.
(a) Forests.			
Malebennur	No. 23598—R. 3437, dated 19th June 1885.	Pillekarenahalli ...	No. 4478—Ft. F. 41-95, dated 19th November 1897.
Jogimatti	No. 96175—Ft. F. 41-95, dated 1st April 1898.	Chalkere	ditto.
Nirthadi	ditto.	Molakalmuru... ...	ditto.
(b) Plantations.			
Nirhagundi	No. 4478—Ft. F. 41-95, dated 19th November 1897.	Jegalur (Casuarina) ...	ditto.

By Order,
J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette.*

Read again the following papers—

(1 a) *Government Order No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98, dated the 22nd April 1899, regarding the reservation of Yemmedoddi, Kamenahalli and Churchegudda Amrut Mahal kavals in the Kadur district.*

The questions raised in this correspondence relate to the proper conservancy and control of three Amrut Mahal kavals, *viz.*, Yemmedoddi, Kamenahalli and Churchegudda, covering an area of 35,000 acres in the Kadur district. The control was vested in the Forest Department by an arrangement sanctioned by Government in 1890, but it is now brought to notice that, on account of the internal difficulties in the working of the arrangement then sanctioned, the control remained only nominal.

2. It is agreed by all the authorities concerned that some better arrangement than what at present exists is necessary in the interests of this important forest tract which is fast deteriorating. The head-waters of the great irrigational systems of Madag and Ayyankere tanks are included in this tract and the strict and careful conservancy of forests all along the courses of the Veda, the Avati and the Gowri streams presses itself as of foremost exigency. Under these circumstances, there can be no doubt that the control vested in the Forest Department should be real and practical. There seems also at present to be a want of proper and adequate arrangement for the stopping of forest fire, the destructive effect of which has been referred to so prominently by the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur.

3. The largest interest in these kavals outside the Forest Department is possessed by the Amrut Mahal Department, and the Officer in charge of that Department has made very reasonable proposals for the safeguarding of his requirements. He has no objection to the full control being exercised by the Forest Department but wants for his Department :—

(1) Grazing for nearly ten months in the year for his own cattle, those of his own subordinates, such as servegars, &c., and also some cattle of the villagers. The number of these he estimates at 1,000.

(2) He proposes that the privilege of giving licenses to the villagers' cattle to the number of 300 every year should be continued to the servegars of the Amrut Mahal Department, so that they may maintain their prestige and influence among the villagers. He agrees that these passes may be given through the Officers of the Forest Department.

(3) He also thinks that the whole of the kavals should be divided into three blocks and used for the cattle above mentioned by rotation.

4. These proposals commend themselves to Government as very fair, and are sanctioned. While the privilege of issuing passes retained in the servegars preserves to them their prestige, the Forest Department will be under no difficulty to know the extent to which this privilege has been availed of and will be able to effectively control and regulate the grazing, thus preventing all the causes of mischief to the forest. The reservation sought by the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department is necessary and ought not to be interfered with.

5. Then with regard to the proper conservancy of this tract, it is unnecessary to go further than simply notify at present that it is a protected forest under the management of the Deputy Commissioner subject to the general control and supervision of the Forest Conservator. The tract comprising the head-waters of the streams already mentioned should be strictly conserved and all cutting be stopped. Subject to the grazing rights of the Amrut Mahal Department, this tract must be dealt with as a close State Forest. The rest of the kaval may be divided into three or more blocks as may be decided upon by the Conservator of Forests, but subject always to the requirements of a herd of 1,000 head of cattle to be provided for as stated by Major Jones. These blocks should be worked by rotation. The Deputy Commissioner will further investigate into the rights and privileges of the neighbouring villagers and for this purpose will depute an Assistant Commissioner and the District Forest Officer. Further orders will be passed regarding the reserving of this tract as a State Forest after the investigation now ordered is completed and the result reported through the Conservator of Forests with specific proposals. In the meanwhile, the existing facilities enjoyed by the villagers for obtaining fuel and grazing in this tract will not be materially curtailed or interfered with, though, of course, the same will be brought under strict and effective regulation so as to prevent unnecessary mischief to the forest.

6. A report will be submitted on the result of the working arrangement now sanctioned, after two years.

(*B*) *Letter No. 854—161, dated the 28th August 1899, from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.*

Adverting to para 5 of Government Order No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98, dated the 22nd April last, I have the honor to forward copy of letter No. 86, dated the 14th instant (with two enclosures), from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur, reporting upon the enquiry into and settlement of the forest rights and privileges of the villagers in the vicinity of the Yemmedoddi and other kavals. A map indicating the position of the kavals and of most of the villages concerned is also forwarded.

2. I recently had the advantage of meeting in conference the Deputy Commissioner and District Forest Officer and of discussing with them these papers and connected questions.

3. The settlement now proposed for the approval of Government is far more advantageous in the interests of forest conservancy than what was suggested in para 11 of Mr. Carr's letter, dated the 27th July 1898. There are some matters in which my opinion does not coincide with that of the present Deputy Commissioner. Thus it is proposed to record, in respect of the Kamenahalli kaval, that 20 villages may each pasture 20 head of cattle. Some of the villages, however, cannot, I think, be fairly considered "neighbouring" in terms of the Government Order, and the cattle are mainly draught cattle which stand, in my view, precisely on the same footing as draught cattle brought from still more distant localities, even from the Hassan district, and customarily pastured in the kavals. But though the principle involved seems to be important, I am not prepared to press an objection to the Deputy Commissioner's proposals on this head, the more so that the number of cattle entered in the lists is not great. After discussing with the Deputy Commissioner this and other points which seemed to me open to question, I recommend Government to accept the concessions proposed.

4. There remains, however, the important question of grazing fees to be charged. Sheep and goats are not to be admitted under any circumstances, and the Deputy Commissioner has found that pasture, free of payment, cannot be claimed by the villagers for their cattle. The people have always paid for the grazing either in cash or in kind; the only change proposed is that whereas the fees have hitherto profited the subordinates of the Amrut Mahal Department, they will (with the exception of fees for 300 cattle) find their way to the Government Treasuries. In respect of grazing fees generally, the cattle should, I submit, be considered as comprised in the following two categories:—

(*a*) Cattle belonging to the neighbouring villages, according to the numbers and names, specified in the settlement lists; and

(*b*) all other cattle (with the exception of cattle to be pastured in connection with the Amrut Mahal herds) which may be admitted to graze upon payment.

5. Cattle comprised in (*a*) have, I submit, a claim to be liberally dealt with in the matter of fees. The Deputy Commissioner proposes a fee of 4 annas per head per annum; and although this rate appears to me if anything too low, lower probably than the fee customarily paid at present, it may, I think, be tentatively adopted. I would urge, however, that this fee should not be inalterably fixed. The neighbouring raiyats, as already observed, cannot claim free pasturage; and as the monetary value of the concession allowed to them may vary from time to time, the grazing fee should be subject to alteration.

6. The outside cattle falling under head (*b*) are on a different footing altogether. Many of them are draught cattle, engaged in highly profitable works not directly connected with agriculture. They graze only for three or four months each year, and it is reported that, under the custom heretofore in vogue, the fee actually and voluntarily paid for these animals has been as much as Rs. 2 per pair per mensem. The degree of forest improvement which may be possible under the Government Orders of the 22nd April last will largely depend upon the regulation and, if necessary, the curtailment of the burden of grazing under this head. As the large revenue realized in past years has not been controlled by Government, it cannot be said at present what fee should be determined upon with reference to the demand for fodder, to the supply of grass and to the effect of the grazing upon forest improvement. It is certain that the pasturage is greatly appreciated; that many cattle, even from distant places, have depended upon the kavals for their supplies; and that high fees have been voluntarily paid for pasturage. A beginning, so far as Government is concerned, has to be made; and I propose to charge for the present Re. 1 per head for all cattle under (*b*) admitted to the kavals for any period between the 1st June and the 30th September, and to close the forests to grazing under this head during the remainder of the year. The proposed initial fee of Re. 1 may appear high; but I venture to suggest that the real value of grass fodder in Government forest estates is imperfectly appreciated. Thus in Hassan certain lands, now under the Forest but formerly controlled by another Department, actually yield a revenue exceeding one rupee per acre on account of grazing alone. Some portions of the kavals now in question are still more valuable for grazing purposes.

8. In para 5 of the orders of April last, it is stated that further orders will be passed regarding the reservation of these kavals. I beg to suggest that drawing up records and preparing rules of management cannot be expected to be very beneficial unless machinery is provided to enforce the rules and to punish injury to the forests. Unless the kavals are constituted State Forests, efficient management and protection must be difficult or impossible. There are, I learn, a coffee estate and a number of other occupied lands within these forests not mentioned in the present correspondence. The position, status and limits of these lands will have to be ascertained and recorded in a further enquiry which, I recommend, should be undertaken with a view to the reservation, as State Forest, of the entire tract.

9. Meanwhile, in agreement with the Deputy Commissioner, I would urge that, if Government approves the village settlement, orders should be issued as soon as possible, and that the two enclosures of the Deputy Commissioner's letter of the 12th instant should be printed and circulated to all concerned.

10. I beg to submit, in original, and for favor of return, when no longer required, the marginally noted papers which further elucidate the case. It will be observed that the District Forest Officer has submitted a forest working-plan for the whole tract. Apart from the fact that the plan requires revision on technical points, it will be impossible to say what the plan of management will be until the burden of the grazing and other concessions in favor of the adjoining villagers, has been settled, and until the tract comprising the head-waters of the streams

Letter No. 21, dated 11th July 1899, from the District Forest Officer.
Letter No. 575, dated 8th August 1899, from the Conservator to Deputy Commissioner.
Chikmagalur Amildar's report, dated 12th June 1899.
Kadur Amildar's report, dated 26th June 1899.

mentioned in the Government Order—a tract which includes the whole or the greater part of the kavals—has been determined. These and other points, in regard to which local officers and I are in doubt, will be duly considered. At present, the most pressing matter for decision is the separate question of concessions to villagers.

(ENCLOSURES TO THE ABOVE).

No. (i).

Letter No. 21, dated 4th July 1899, from the District Forest Officer, Kadur district, to the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, (through the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district).

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98, dated 22nd April 1899, passing orders on the question raised relating to the proper conservancy and control of Yemmedoddi, Kamenahalli and Churchegudda Amrut Mahal kavals, I have the honor to submit herewith my report on the investigation into the rights and privileges of the neighbouring villagers, together with proposals for working the above kavals.

2. As ordered by the Deputy Commissioner, the question of rights and privileges of the neighbouring villagers was thoroughly gone into by the local Revenue Officers, Amildars of Chikmagalur and Kadur. No pains were spared to get at the truth of the matter, the evidence of servegars, kavalgars, patels, shanbhogs and villagers was taken (a summary of which is attached). After considerable arguments were raised for and against, we unanimously came to the conclusion that certain rights have been exercised by the neighbouring villages for a considerable time in the kavals. Free grazing has not been included in these rights, for at a glance it can be seen that the inhabitants of the surrounding villages are mostly cattle farmers as well as cultivators, and not necessarily so, as the cultivations are not confined to localities, certain gomal lands have been assigned to the villagers which would have been sufficient had they not taken to cattle-farming. Because of the combined system of cattle-farming and tillage in vogue, it follows that pasturage for the cattle was got somewhere, that somewhere being the kavals under reference, and the wholesale grazing and cutting of firewood hitherto without a thought as to the future resulted in the question being taken up by the Forest Department. Provisions will be made for grazing on payment, this will be no hardship as the villagers have been paying for it either in money or kind (to the servegars).

3. Every village within 20 miles of the kavals claims to have a right * to graze, cut fire-wood, and wood for agricultural implements. It does not seem to be necessary here to go into details of the rights or non-rights of each village, sufficient to say that the question was thoroughly gone into on the spot and certain rights admitted.

* In this report the word "Right" is wrongly used. The Deputy Commissioner in conference yesterday, admitted that there were really no legal rights, and Government does not recognize private rights in such lands (Proceedings No. 619-19 of 27th April 1881). We had better write of all these users as privileges allowed by the Government.—(Sd.) J. L. PIGOT. 23rd Aug. 99.

4. There are six kinds of rights which present themselves forcibly :—

1st. Rights for fire-wood.

2nd. Rights on grazing.

3rd. Rights on wood for agricultural implements.

4th. Rights of way to water (Aiyankere and Madag tanks).

5th. Rights to graze draught bullocks which depend wholly on the kavals during the rains as they can get no grazing elsewhere and can get no work; this right might be admitted as grazing will always be allowed on payment of fees (which they are prepared to pay).

6th. Roads as shown in maps and dealt with in the preliminary working-plan.

5. *No. 2 rights to graze* as already stated will be allowed on payment.

Nos. 1 and 3 rights to cut fire-wood and wood for agricultural implements, will be given free on the license system.

No. 4 rights of way to water, will be allowed.

This is a special kind of use. It is not local, as many of the cattle come from other taluks and even from Hasan.—(Sd.) J. L. PIGOT.

No. 5 rights to graze draught bullocks, on payment as hitherto.

No. 6 rights of way on roads, admitted.

6. The following are the villages referred to, and the rights claimed by each, which are admitted:—

In the Churchegudda Kaval—

Devarhalli—Firewood and wood for agricultural implements.

Hirigowja—Firewood, wood for agricultural implements and grazing.		
Chikgowja	Ditto	ditto
Kurichikkenhalli	Ditto	ditto
Kengenhalli	Ditto	ditto
Kurindihalli	Ditto	ditto
Tatkadabanhalli	Ditto	ditto
Hosahalli	Ditto	ditto
Billikulhalli	Ditto	ditto
Sarpanhalli	Ditto	ditto
Gangarhalli	Ditto	ditto
Uddeboranhalli	Ditto	ditto
Kombugatti	Ditto	ditto
Kenkere	Ditto	ditto
Tingenhalli	Ditto	ditto

Lakya—Wood for agricultural implements only.	
Halle Lakya	Ditto
Ganadahal	Ditto
Katinbeed	Ditto
Kanavehalli	Ditto
Sadrahalli	Ditto
Jodikarehalli	Ditto

7. *Villages with rights on Kamenhalli kaval—*

Halsbal—Grazing only.	
Surgippe	Ditto
Nagenhalli	Ditto
Galipuje	Ditto
Muttenpura	Ditto
Togarihankal	Ditto
Gonakal	Ditto
Attigiri	Ditto

Kunal—Wood for agricultural implements only.
Balenhalli ditto
Surbodigi ditto
Birenhalli ditto
Lakmanhalli ditto

8. *Villages with rights on Yemmedoddi Kaval—*

Chickapatnagiri—Firewood and wood for agricultural implements and grazing.

Kachepura	ditto	ditto
Bislehalli	ditto	ditto
Chickangala	ditto	ditto
Golaralialli	ditto	ditto

Govindapura—Firewood and wood for agricultural implements.

Sarsvatipur	ditto	ditto
Ramenhalli	ditto	ditto
Chickbuksagara	ditto	ditto

9. Villages in which a large number of draught * bullocks are kept, which depend on the kavals for grazing during the rains (June and July):—

Basenhalli.	Ramenhalli.	Bikenhalli.
Alampur.	Kartikere.	Huliarhalli.
Hoskote.	Dandramakki.	Magdi.
Aradavalli.	Ramenhalli.	Kebbikere.
Kempenhalli.	Warle.	Kurvangi.
Arleguppe.	Mugluvalli.	

*See above under "rights to graze draught bullocks." In conference yesterday I pointed out that many of these villages are not "neighbouring" in terms of the Government order; that many of the draught bullocks are employed in highly profitable work not connected with village cultivation; and that bullocks from Hassan stand on the same footing. The number of animals entered in the list is however not great; and though I am distinctly opposed to the grant of special concession to these villages, I promised the Deputy Commissioner that I should not press my objection.

23—8—99. (Sd.) J. L. PIGOT.

10. In conclusion, I beg to state that the privileges referred to have been defined as to each village, maximum amount of fuel, &c., where and when the privileges are to be exercised, &c., in the preliminary working plan.

No. (ii)

Report of the Amildar, Chikmagalur taluk, No. 27, dated 12th June 1899.

With reference to your order directing me to make further investigation into and to report upon the rights and privileges of the inhabitants of the villages adjoining the Churchegudda and Kamenhalli Amrut Mahal Kavals in the Chikmagalur taluk, referred to in Government Proceedings No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98 of the 22nd April 1899, I beg to report as follows in so far as the raiyats of the Chikmagalur taluk are concerned.

2. Enquiry was made mostly at Sakrepatna on the 10th May 1899, by me of several leading land-holders, shanbhogs and patels of the villages adjoining the kavals as to their and others' rights in these kavals, and their statements, recorded on solemn affirmation are herewith submitted for reference. Of these, the depositions of Puttegauda, patel, Kombaguthi, Anantegauda of Hampapur and Mallappa of Hirigowja, who used to take up the Hulbanni Izara of these kavals, are of special importance.

3. Of the villages adjoining the Churchegudda kaval, three villages, *viz.*, Hanchihalli, Chikenhalli and Chindenhalli of Lakya magani are depopulated and they are, therefore, left out of consideration. The village of Dasarhalli in the same magani had been included in the list already submitted of villages depending upon this kaval for grazing, &c. The patel of this village and others state (and I am also convinced) that the people of this village have enough of pasture land for their cattle and sufficient jungle for firewood and agricultural implements within the limits of their village. Shanbhog Ramaiya of Lakya states that a portion of the kaval used by the villagers of Dasarhalli was deducted out

of the kaval and added to the village limits during the Survey Settlement and thus this village may also be left out of consideration, as it does not now depend upon this kaval for its pasturage and wood.

4. The villagers of Bindga magani had ample notice to be present at the time of enquiry held at Sakrepatna. Except the patel of Kombagathi, which is a hamlet of Halsbal, and another raiyat of Lingenhalli, a hamlet of Bindga village, none else was present. Enquiry showed that only the villagers of Kombagathi and Lingenhalli, which adjoin the Churchegudda and Kamenhalli kavals, depended upon these kavals for their pasturage, &c., while the other villages of the Bindga magani given in the list already submitted had not much lien on these kavals. They are all malnad villages. There is enough of wood for fuel and agricultural implements in the limits of each. There is also some pasture land in each village, and I think they can get on without the additional resource of these kavals. Some of their cattle appear to have been going to and grazing in these kavals from a long time, because they were contiguous with their own pasture lands, and no line of demarcation existed to show their boundaries. But this kind of indefinite usage cannot be taken as a right, and I think it can be put a stop to without inconveniencing them in the least.

5. The villagers of Basavanhalli and Mirle maganis do not entirely depend upon these kavals in their every day life. Their villages do not adjoin them. They have separate means for procuring firewood, and for grazing their village cattle. But they depend upon these kavals chiefly for grazing their numerous draught bullocks during the rainy season. This subject will be dealt with in detail further on.

6. I now come to the villages, which depend upon these kavals for their every day life. These are mostly the villages of the Lakya and Kenkere maganis besides two hamlets Kombagathi and Lingenhalli of the Bindiga magani above referred to. Their rights may be classified under six headings as ascertained during the enquiry now held:—

Right to the free removal of—

I. Firewood,
II. Do for grazing,
III. Do free removal of wood for agricultural implements,
IV. Rights of way to water cattle in the Aiyankere tank,
V. Grazing draught bullocks,
VI. Rights of public ways.

7. The raiyats of—

(1) Thadabenhalli,
(2) Bilekalhalli,
(3) Serpanhalli,
(4) Gungarhalli,
(5) Uddebornahalli,
(6) Kenkere,
(7) Kombagathi and
(8) Lingenhalli—

depend upon these kavals for all the six items specified above. They are all situated close to these two kavals and have not got much pasturage in them, nor have they any other jungle in the vicinity to take firewood from. They are bringing firewood for their daily use from these kavals, grazing their cattle therein every day. Wood for ploughs, seed-drills, clod crushers, &c., and bamboos for thrashing corn and thorns for fencing fields are brought from these kavals. Their cattle are taken to Aiyankere which is in the middle of the

Kamenhalli kaval for water. They have no other perennial supply of water in the limits of their villages. Except Lingenhalli and Kombagathi, which lie to the north of Churchegudda kaval, the other villages are all in the maidan portion of this taluk. The country is arid and gravelly and the rainfall scanty. The two kavals are the only jungles in the vicinity. It is therefore conclusive that the rights described above are being exercised from time immemorial.

8. The raiyats of—

(1) Hirigowja,
(2) Chickgowja,
(3) Kurichikanhalli,
(4) Kengenhalli and
(5) Karisiddihalli

depend upon the Churchegudda kaval for—

I. Firewood,
II. Grazing and
III. Wood for agricultural implements.

These villages are all adjoining this kaval. Their cultivated lands are close to the boundary of the kaval. Their cattle are taken to the kaval every day for grazing. Firewood is brought therefrom for daily use. Wood for agricultural implements is also taken from this kaval. The evidence recorded shows that as there are no small bamboos in Churchegudda, they are taken from the Kamenhalli kaval by the raiyats of these villages for thrashing corn. The cattle in these villages are numerous and the village pasture lands are few. There is no jungle in the gomal lands. There are some large farmers of cattle and sheep here. The ordinary village cattle are grazed in the northern slopes of the kaval without cash payment. But it is admitted that the servegars or kavalgars have been levying something in kind from each raiyat therefor. But those that keep large herds of good breed take them to the heart of the kaval and have been paying the servegars or izardars considerable fees on their cattle.

9. Village Devarhalli of Lakya magani is a small one. It adjoins Churchegudda kaval. There is enough of pasturage in its gomal lands. The raiyats of this village cultivate the lands of the neighbouring depopulated village Bommenhalli and graze their cattle also in its gomal and kharab lands. But there is no firewood available for their home consumption. No wood fit for agricultural implements can be had within the limits of these villages, and therefore the people of Devarhalli take firewood and also wood needed for their agricultural implements from the neighbouring Churchegudda kaval. They also grazed their cattle in it occasionally, during the hot season. Their rights are chiefly the free removal of firewood and wood for agricultural implements (I and III) from this kaval.

10. The villages which are not adjacent to the kavals, but which are pretty near to them, are as follows :—

Village.	Distance from the boundary of the kaval.
(1) Lakya	2 miles.
(2) Halelakya	1½ "
(3) Gandahal	3 "
(4) Kyatanbid	4 "
(5) Kanvehalli	5 "
(6) Sadarhalli	3 "
(7) Jodi Karehalli	2 "

These villages have enough of pasturage in them. The scrub jungles to be sparsely found in their gomal and kharab lands supply enough of firewood for domestic consumption. The jungle growth is very inferior, and so no wood required for agricultural implements can be had here. The raiyats of these villages have all along been taking this wood from the Churchegudda kaval and small bamboos

required for thrashing corn from the Kamenhalli kaval as these cannot be had in Churchegudda. The other villages which depend only for their supply of wood for agricultural implements upon the Kamenhalli kaval are as follows :—

(1) Kunal	... ...	4 miles.
(2) Balenhalli	... ...	5 „
(3) Sirabadagi	... ...	5 „
(4) Birnahalli	.. ..	6 „
(5) Lakmanhalli	... ...	6 „

The raiyats of these villages do not claim firewood and grazing in this kaval as there is enough of them within their own villages.

11. Besides the specific rights and privileges enumerated above, exercised by the neighbouring villagers, I beg to submit, there are other ways in which these kavals are depended upon by the people of this taluk generally. The heavy traffic to the Mangalore Port is all carried on carts and there are many such carts in Chikmagalur and the villages round it belonging to Marle and Basavanhalli magnis. These carts are heavily worked during the cold and hot seasons in the ghat roads, and thus the bullocks get reduced by the end of May. To bring them into good condition again, they are taken and grazed in large herds in the heart of the Churchegudda and Kamenhalli kavals during the rainy season. Draught bullocks from Belur and other places are also taken likewise. The luxuriant growth of good grass and moderate rainfall in these kavals are very conducive to the health of the bullocks grazed therein. This grazing continues for about three months in the year. The kavalgars or the izardars make much money by levying fees on these bullocks at a rate ranging up to Rs. 2 per pair. This system of grazing the draught bullocks is a desideratum in this locality. If this grazing be not allowed in the kavals, the local draught bullocks are likely to suffer much and the cart-owners will be subjected to great loss, as they have no other kavals with so much pasturage to resort to.

12. I beg to add that the northern slopes of the Churchegudda kaval, which adjoin the villages of Lakya and Kenkere magnis, are used by the villagers every day, and although the Forest Department is not likely to gain much by the reservation of these slopes which contain hardly any tree of good growth, some of the villagers are apt to suffer severely thereby if they are prohibited from grazing their cattle, and removing firewood and wood for agricultural purposes therefrom. Similar inconvenience is apt to be felt by the raiyats of some other villages if the portion of the Kamenhalli kaval lying to the east and west of the bed of the Aiyankere tank be closed entirely for the public. By excluding these two bits from the two kavals, strict conservancy of the remaining portions may be instituted and payment enforced on cattle grazing, &c. At the same time I venture to suggest that a few acres of land should be left for the free use of the villagers of Kombagathi and Lingenhalli on the southern slope of Churchegudda and some margin of jungle left out of the Kamenhalli kaval where the lands of Halsbal, of which Kombagathi is a hamlet, jet into the kaval.

13. The rights and privileges now exercised by the raiyats have all been ascertained by means of enquiry. The references quoted by the Deputy Commissioner in para 15 of his letter No. 39 of the 27th July 1898, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, clearly show that these vested rights of the raiyats in these kavals existed from time immemorial long before the Amrut Mahal cattle were permitted to graze therein with a strict injunction that rights of raiyats should on no account be interfered with. The Government orders of 20th July 1877 and 19th August 1890 make no fresh concessions to the neighbouring villagers, but only recognize their vested rights though indefinitely, and there is, therefore, no reason to presume, as has been done by Mr. B. Hirasing, the then District Forest Officer, in para 13 of his memo, dated 14th January 1898, that the said raiyats were conceded or brought into use after the promulgation of the Government orders of 1890.

14. There are some important foot-paths and cart-tracks in these two kavals, which connect the Lakya and Sakrepatna hoblis with the villages of the Bindega magani and it would be necessary to keep them open hereafter.

15. Great stress is laid by the Forest Officers on the absence of recognition of the vested rights of villages in the Survey Settlement Registers of these Amrut Mahal kavals. The Survey Department have only mapped these kavals as a whole, treated them as a village and called them by their respective names. Beyond this they do not appear to have gone into the question of the other vested rights in these kavals, probably on account of the question being out of their province. The absence of record of such rights in the Survey Settlement Registers does not, therefore, affect them in the least.

16. This report is submitted through the District Forest Officer.

No. (iii)

Report of the Amildar, Kadur taluk, No. 24, dated 26th June 1899.

Agreeably to the instructions contained in Kanarese order No. 596, dated 9th June 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, I beg to submit the following report in connection with the raiyat privileges of this taluk for grazing their cattle in the Yemmedoddi kaval and for cutting fuel and wood for agricultural implements in the same jungle.

2. A list showing the names of villages whose raiyats were enjoying the privileges referred to, was prepared and submitted on the 27th November 1897 to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district. In this list the names of 97 villages were shown as having been enjoying the privileges in the Yemmedoddi kaval.

3. During my subsequent investigation held in the month of May 1899 I find that the raiyats of many of the villages enumerated in the list were not actually enjoying the privileges in the said kaval, as may be seen from the deposition given by the raiyats of the Malleswara, Thuruvanahalli, Vappahunuse, Haruvanahalli, Mallappanahalli, Karinahalli, Cuppyal, Karehalli, Devarahalli and Chiranahalli villages. All these villages are situated beyond a radius of 12 miles from the kaval in question.

4. The raiyats of some of the villages were bringing only wood for agricultural implements from Yemmedoddi kaval, *vide* statements of the raiyats of the Kallapura, Nagodanahalli, Bellawalla and Macheri villages. The raiyats of the eight villages attached to the Thangali magani graze their cattle in their own gomal lands and use their own fuel. But they go to Yemmedoddi kaval if firewood is required in large quantity on special occasions. Of the 19 villages on the side of Patnagiri magani the raiyats of the surrounding villages of Saraswatipura, Ramanahalli, Chikapatnagiri, Kachapura and Bislehalli are entirely depending on this kaval for their fuel and wood for agricultural purposes and for the grazing of their cattle. The raiyats of Bramhasamudra and Chikbuksagara of the Bramhasamudra magani also depend upon this kaval for their supplies of fuel and wood for agricultural purposes and for the grazing of their cattle, the villages of Hagarahalli, Balliganur, Chikangala, Gollarhalli and Govindapura are situated on the borders of this kaval. The raiyats of these villages depend upon this kaval for their supplies of fuel and grazing.

5. The raiyats of Sakrepatna appear to have been enjoying the privilege of bringing firewood from the Yemmedoddi jungle and grazing their cattle in the Kamenhalli kaval in the Chikmagalur taluk, which they pray may be continued to them. They have 2,085 acres more than enough of their requirements in their own jungles and gomal lands.

6. Though Birur is situated about 12 miles from Yemmedoddi kaval, yet its raiyats were enjoying the privilege of bringing firewood from this kaval from a long time. This place is becoming thickly populated and is rising in its importance of commerce. Many of the raiyats deal in arecanuts and they require large quantity of fuel to boil them. If no restrictions are placed upon them, the whole Yemmedoddi jungle will be denuded in the course of a few years. I had personally observed some gentlemen of Birur bringing 30 and 40 cart-loads of fuel at one time for boiling their arecanuts, and brought the same to the notice of the then Deputy Commissioner and the District Forest Officer.

7. I beg to append a list of the names of the surrounding villages of the Yemmedoddi kaval which I and yourself have carefully prepared and to recommend that the concession of free grazing of cattle and of bringing fuel and wood for agricultural implements may be shown to them :—

1. Saraswatipura.	8. Gollarhalli.
2. Ramanahalli.	9. Sakunibasavanahalli.
3. Chikbuksagara.	10. Siddarahalli.
4. Brahmasamudra.	11. Chikkapatnagiri.
5. Balliganur.	12. Kachapura.
6. Hogrehalli.	13. Bislehalli.
7. Chickangala.	14. Govindapura.

8. In conclusion, I would beg to suggest that the raiyats of these villages shall be allowed to bring firewood and wood for agricultural implements on mafi rahadaries, or else they will abuse the privileges and there will be no check on the quantity each raiyat consumes.

No. (iv).

Letter No. 575—C. No. 161-99, dated 8th August 1899, from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your District Forest Officer's letter No. 21 of the 4th ultimo, with your remarks thereon, regarding the future management, under the terms of Government Order No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98, of the 22nd April last, of the Yemmedoddi and other kavals of the Kadur district.

2. The District Forest Officer reports that "it does not seem to be necessary here to go into details of the rights or non-rights of each village; sufficient to say that the question was thoroughly gone into on the spot and certain rights admitted." He proceeds to observe that "the privileges referred to have been defined as to each village, maximum amount of fuel, &c., where and when the privileges are to be exercised, &c., in the preliminary working plan," which he forwards with his letter.

3. I had no idea that a forest working-plan would be drawn up until the result of the village settlement had been reported and until I had had an opportunity of instructing the District Forest Officer as to the general lines upon which he should proceed in order to provide for the exercise of rights, &c., under the settlement which Government left in your hands. Without wishing to under-rate Mr. Ricketts' merit in so promptly undertaking this work, I fear that the investigation has been pushed through too quickly. I can certainly say so as regards the draft working-plan which would not with advantage be applied in practice. Moreover it does not appear to have been understood that a technical plan of forest management is not the place to discuss or to record in detail the forest settlement of rights and privileges which is quite a separate matter. All that a working plan does is to provide, amongst other things,—for the satisfaction of rights or privileges previously recorded as a separate proceeding. Finally I can find in the draft plan of management neither the definition of privileges mentioned in para 2 above nor anything to show Government upon what principles rights or privileges have been admitted or declared inadmissible.

4. It will be observed that, under para 5 of the orders quoted, the investigation of the rights and privileges was left to you as Deputy Commissioner, and that Government directed the deputation of an Assistant Commissioner and the District Forest Officer in connection therewith. I observe from the letter under reply and its enclosures that the enquiry from the Revenue side was confided to the Amildars one of whom (the Chikmagalur Amildar) has furnished a very interesting report. Although the matter does not strictly speaking concern me, I refer to the question of the Assistant Commissioner, because the Government order may possibly have been overlooked and because the settlement of this long-standing and difficult question appears to me to merit the careful study and attention of the superior Revenue Officers. Upon the result

of the settlement will largely depend the net revenue that Government can derive from these tracts ; and I may add that in British India so important a case would probably occupy a Settlement and a Forest Officer for several months.

5. In my letter of the 18th May last, a copy of which I append, I pointed out that the degree of effective control which could be exercised by the Forest Department would turn almost entirely upon the settlement of rights and privileges, and I asked whether you could furnish me with information as to the general lines upon which the settlement should be undertaken. You were, I presume, unable to comply with my request; but I would here repeat that it will be impossible to prepare a working-plan until full information as to the settlement of rights and privileges is forthcoming.

6. I do not know that I am in order in going into the question of settlement which has been entrusted to you; but Mr. Ricketts' report suggests certain observations.

7. Strictly speaking, there would appear to be no adverse rights, except perhaps rights of way and to water. But I understand the orders of Government to mean that, within certain limits and subject to certain principles (some of which are discussed in Mr. Weir's memorandum), rights or privileges in respect of grazing and other forest products are to be recorded in favor of certain neighbouring or adjoining villages. Government have not laid down the principles upon which privileges, &c., should be conceded. But I assume that the rights or privileges must be dependent on assessed cultivated holdings; that forest produce obtained free or at favorable rates of payment must not be sold or bartered or used for industrial purposes (*e. g.*, for arecanut or sugarcane boiling); and that purely draught cattle, such for instance as those coming to the kavals from the Hassan district, can be allowed no *right* of pasture, though of course provision should be hereafter made to satisfy all demands subject to the all-important proviso that the tract must be worked so that they may be protected and improved. The District Forest Officer observes that "free grazing has not been included in these rights," and that rights to graze will be allowed on payment. The right, then, will be to pasture cattle upon payment; but I can find no record of the locality or season of grazing or the fee payable. Again a "right" to graze draught bullocks upon payment appears to have been admitted. Personally I cannot conceive how draught bullocks, often engaged in highly profitable work unconnected with cultivation, can be properly allowed to graze as of right. But if a right is admitted, obviously the number of head, season, locality, &c., should be defined, as otherwise the "right" will inevitably be abused as time goes by. Again, in respect of the village cattle to be grazed on payment, the fuel to be taken *gratis* and the trees to be allowed for agricultural implements, I notice that the right or concession has been fixed in a perfectly arbitrary manner without reference to the varying requirements of each village. Certain villages have, I presume, more village land containing pasture and wood than others; yet to whole groups certain fixed factors are applied. Finally, in respect of grazing, we have not merely to admit in favor of a particular village a right or privilege to pasture cattle. It is necessary also to provide that the right may be exercised in a reasonably convenient locality. After studying the outline working-plan I am unable to see how far this aspect of the question has been borne in mind and to what extent the convenience of the raiyats will be provided for.

8. In what precedes, I have written either without a village map or detailed report of what has been done; and beg that this may be borne in mind as I may be mistaken as to the nature and scope of the enquiry and record actually undertaken and made.

9. In any circumstances, Government will require a separate and detailed report upon this settlement; and I request that, if you see no objection, such a report may be drawn up and forwarded to me. You may consider some of the questions adverted to in this letter worthy of notice, others I have not touched upon. For instance, though there is really nothing unusual in this settlement, it does not appear how far the village statistics, the cattle census, &c., have been utilized as would be done in the case of a small, and possibly far less important, State Forest under ordinary settlement. But I suggest that the report should at least treat of the following :—

(1) The general nature of the claims preferred, with reference to what has actually been the practice in the kavals.

(2) The general principles upon which claims have been considered, admitted or rejected in whole or in part.

(3) A detailed list of the rights or privileges admitted and recorded, giving name of each village, locality where the produce is to be obtained, the nature of the right or privilege and the restrictions imposed as to number or quantity, season of enjoyment, &c.

(4) Taluk or other maps indicating the possession of the kaval and of each village concerned.

10. When the report is received, it will become possible to gauge the degree in which the forest growth can be improved as desired by Government and to prepare a working-plan for the utilisation and improvement of the forest produce. I return the three maps and the Amildar's reports received with the letter under reply. I also return the draft working-plan upon which I have marginally noted and which I request may be kindly re-transmitted to me when no longer required.

No. (V.)

Letter No. 86, dated 12th August 1899, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, to the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

With reference to your letter No. 575—C. No. 161-99 of the 8th August 1899, regarding the Yemmedoddi and other kavals in this district, I have the honor to state that what was required by Government to be done in the Revenue Department is enquiry into the rights of villagers in the said kavals. Such an enquiry was made by the District Forest Officer in conjunction with the Amildars specially selected for the purpose, I being present on the spot and superintending the enquiry.

2. To my mind, the chief point for determination was, as to which of the villages were exercising any right in the kavals and from what period.

3. The enquiry made has thrown light on this point and therefrom a decision has been arrived at as to which of the villages have from time immemorial been grazing their cattle in the said kavals and been removing fuel and wood for domestic and agricultural purposes. Those villages have been enumerated in the reports of the said three officers. However, for purposes of convenience, a statement is enclosed, showing those villages and the various privileges they have been enjoying in the said kavals.

4. It will be seen that no free grazing is contemplated. A fee of four annas per head of cattle has to be paid for each year. The cattle of the villages graze throughout the year. The draught bullocks graze only from June to end of September. The Forest Department is to define the areas wherein grazing is to be allowed each year and this has been done by the District Forest Officer in his report.

5. In regard to fuel for domestic purposes, it has been decided to allow two cart-loads of it per annum to each kandayam paying raiyat and one unreserved tree to each per annum for agricultural implements. These are to be removed on free licenses to be issued by the District Forest Officer or the Amildar concerned when authorised in that behalf by the former. Where the felling is to be carried on every year will be determined by the District Forest Officer.

6. The rights of way in the kavals have also been determined. A list therefor is herewith sent for ready reference.

7. So far for the settlement to be made in the Revenue Department. In regard to the technical part of the work such as the drawing up of the working plan, reservation, &c., the District Forest Officer has been requested to go to Bangalore and receive your instructions, on receipt of which every endeavour will be made to carry them out on the lines that may be indicated by you.

8. The District Forest Officer will deliver back to you the enclosures of your letter under reply. The statements referred to in paras 3 and 6 *supra* are also given to his hand to be laid before you.

List of the recognized rights of way in the following Amrut Mahal kavals:—

Kamenahalli Kaval.

1. Foot-path from Santaveri to Sakrepatna.
2. Foot-path from Kurubugatti to above track.
3. Rights of way to cultivated lands near Ayankere, belonging to Padumane village.
4. Rights of way to water (Ayankere tank) from the following villages:—Billikalhalli, Kadabanhalli, Sarpanhalli, Gundurhalli, Uddeborna-halli and Kenkere.

Yemmedoddi Kaval.

1. Cart-track from Hireangala to Gollarhalli.
2. Foot-path from Belagnur to the above track.
3. Cart-track from Hagrehalli to Saraswatipura.
4. Main road, Chikmagalur to Kadur.
5. Cart-track from Chikangala to Abdul Rahman's coffee estate.

Statement showing the villages in the Yemmedoddi, Churchegudda and Kamenahalli kavals in the Kadur District and the privileges they have been enjoying in the said kavals.

Forests affected by concession.		Total head of cattle to be admitted to graze free.		Villages with concessions.				
Name of forest.	Area in acres.	Amrut Mahal and Sarvegars' cattle.	Villagers' cattle under licenses.	Name of village.	Number of cattle to graze on payment.	Number of cart-loads of fire-wood, free.	Number of unreserved trees for agricultural implements, free.	Remarks.
Yemmedoddi Amrut Mahal kaval.	16,256	1,000 Amrut Mahal and Sarvegars' cattle. Number of Sarvegars' cattle not known.	300	Gosimlapura	27	40	20	NOTE. 1. The fee payable for grazing is liable to be altered by Government from time to time. 2. The Forest Department to define the area where grazing is to be annually allowed. 3. The fuel, &c., to be removed on free licenses to be given by the District Forest Officer or the Amildar concerned, when authorised in that behalf by the District Forest Officer. 4. No sheep or goat to be allowed into the kavals.
				Saraswatipur	206	296	148	
				Kamenahalli	91	134	67	
				Chikbuksagara	8	44	22	
				Bramasamudra	56	796	398	
				Chikpatnagere	91	148	74	
				Kachapura	64	130	65	
				Billihalli	45	76	38	
				Chikangala	166	466	233	
				Golarhalli	26	60	30	
				Total ..	780	2,140	1,095	
Churchegudda Amrut Mahal kaval.	10,704	...	...	Dasaralhalli	50	40	20	NOTE The cattle entered in columns 3 and 4, should not have been shown against Yemmedoddi alone, but against all the three kavals.
				Devarhalli	42	32	16	
				Hiregowja	175	60	30	
				Chikgowza	225	120	60	
				Kurichikenhalli	500	100	50	
				Kenchenahalli	100	60	30	
				Karisiddehalli	88	60	30	
				Tatabenahalli and Hosahalli	75	80	40	
				Billikalhalli	125	140	70	
				Sarpenahalli	50	400	200	
				Gungarhalli	50	60	30	
				Uddebirnahalli	75	80	40	
				Kumbagutti	62	20	10	
				Lakya	...	330	165	
				Hale Lakya	...	82	41	
				Ganadalal	...	54	27	
				Katenberd	...	98	49	
				Kanvehalli	...	130	65	
				Sadarahalli	...	134	67	
				Jodikarenhalli	...	142	71	
				Total ...	1,617	2,222	1,111	

Statement showing the villages in the Yemmedoddi, &c.—(*concluded.*)

Forests affected by concession.		Total head of cattle to be admitted to graze free.		Villages with concessions.					Remarks.
Name of forest.	Area in acres.	Amrut Mahal and Servegars' cattle.	Villagers' cattle under licenses.	Name of village.	Number of cattle to graze on payment.	Number of cart-loads of firewood, free.	Number of unreserved trees for agricultural implements, free.		
Kamenhalli Amrut Mahal kaval.	10,018	...	...	Kinal	...	132	76		
				Balenahalli	...	70	35		
				Sirbadigi	...	220	110		
				Birenhalli	...	116	58		
				Lakmanhalli	...	139	65		
				Halsebal	152	...	...		
				Nanjenhalli	32	...	...		
				Galipuje	56	...	...		
				Mattipura	26	...	...		
				Togaribankal	64	...	...		
				Gonakal	40	...	...		
				Attigiri	20	...	...		
				Suruguppe	20	...	...		
				Basavanhalli	20	...	...		
				Kempanhalli	20	...	...		
				Ramenhalli	20	...	...		
				Huliyarhalli	20	...	...		
				Alampura	20	...	...		
				Arleguppe	20	...	...		
				Balihalli	20	...	...		
				Warco	20	...	...		
				Hoskoto	20	...	...		
				Mugulavalli	20	...	...		
				Magadi	20	...	...		
				Hebbekere	20	...	...		
				Kortigere	20	...	...		
				Aradavalli	20	...	...		
				Hiremagalur	20	...	...		
				Kurvange	20	...	...		
				Bikanhalli	20	...	...		
				Dundralalli	20	...	...		
				Total ...	769	668	344		

(C) *Note, dated the 2nd October 1899, by Major R. G. Jones, Military Assistan to the Government of Mysore.*

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In para 5 and following paras the following orders were given :—

(A) That a certain area containing the head-waters of the Madag an Iyanbere tributary streams should (subject to Amrut Mahal graz ing alone) be entirely closed as a State Forest.

(B) That the remaining area should be divided into blocks to be worke by rotation as decided by the Conservator (subject to the grazin of 1,000 head Amrut Mahal cattle) for the grazing and other pri vileges of the surrounding villages.

Regarding the permanent closing of a portion of the Kavals.—With regard t this order A. The Conservator must by this time have collected sufficient dat to describe the area required under this order, and I think he should be calle on to define it so that a Government order may at once issue closing thi portion.

If afterwards the area thus set aside is found too large, it can easily be curtailed; all that the Conservator should be careful to see is that it is sufficiently large for the purpose for which it is closed.

Regarding the allotment of the area devoted to grazing.—With reference t order B.

Until the area required under A is definitely allotted in some way, the balance to be apportioned under B is an unknown quantity.

Deputy Commissioner and Conservator agree that villagers have no rights.—However in consideration of this grazing it is satisfactory to note that the Deputy Commissioner and the Conservator are in accord that the villagers have n actual rights in these areas but have merely been accustomed to get certai articles on payment. This is valuable as it renders the final apportioning of the grazing somewhat easy.

Total requirements of villages estimated by Deputy Commissioner at 3,166 head.—The Deputy Commissioner has recorded his opinion as to the grazing required by certain villages: the total of such cattle (*i. e.*, excluding the 1,000 Amrut Mahal, and the draft bullocks on transit, &c.) he estimates at 3,166 head.

Deputy Commissioner's list useless: map shows position of villages with reference to Kavals.—The Deputy Commissioner's list is so unmethodically arranged that it is merely useful in computing the total of cattle to be grazed, but from the map forwarded, in which the villages are marked red, it will be seen that, as stated by the Conservator, some of the villages named are by no means *adjoining* to the kavals.

As in many cases intervening villages have been omitted, it is clear that some local grazing is obtainable and that the grazing in these kavals for the more distant villages is not absolutely necessary.

Distant villages may be omitted from Deputy Commissioner's list if grazing proves insufficient for 3,166 head.—This again is a useful point as indicating the villages to be struck off the list should it be found that the area under B. is so small that grazing for 3,166 head, &c., is not available.

The proposed order of Government.—As regards the rates, &c., set forth in the proposed order, I think they convey the wishes of the Conservator, but I think that these orders may well stand over until the area available for pasturage is known.

Remarks regarding issue of licenses by the Amrut Mahal.—While on the subject of allotting the grazing I would remark that when I estimated the village cattle at 300, I thought that the kavals were to be very strictly conserved, but in the event of a large number of cattle being admitted, I trust that (for the reasons previously given) all licenses to villages *adjoining* the kavals may issue through the servegars.

To sum up, what I propose is the following :—

1. Direct the Conservator to make some definite allotment under the orders already passed for a closed State Forest.
2. Direct him to submit a detailed scheme for rotation grazing of the remainder.
3. Direct that all licenses to villages adjoining the kavals be issued through the Amrut Mahal servegars.
4. Let the present order regarding rates issue after submission of a working scheme.

D. Note, dated the 16th October 1899, by the same Officer.

The method I proposed was as follows :—

The kavals were to be divided into two main heads A and B.

(A) to be closed Forest of which the inflammable portions might be temporarily grazed as considered necessary from time to time by the Conservator; and

(B) to be allotted for grazing in rotation or otherwise as the Conservator directed. The Conservator was to define in all cases of grazing the * number of cattle to be admitted and the period for which grazing was to be allowed.

*Of course it is to be understood that he will arrange for sufficient grazing at all times for the numbers of Amrut Mahal defined in the recent Government Order.

Admission to grazing to be by tickets or passes. The tickets to be prepared by the Forest Department and given to the Amrut Mahal for sale.

The Forest Department arranging for the watching of the forest prevention of trespass of all cattle (*i. e.*, without the passes).

For the first year or so it will be necessary to entertain a rather heavy watching establishment but when the villagers are once accustomed to this strict reservation it is thought that the establishment may be reduced to quite a small one.

As regards the sums collected by sales of tickets the first charge against this to be the cost of the watching establishment and the balance only to be credited to the Amrut Mahal. I think such a system worth trying.

E. Letter No. 1034—161, dated the 12th September 1899, from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, soliciting sanction to the entertainment of the marginally noted establishment in lieu of the small staff sanctioned in 1890, and stating that in view of the large area to be conserved, a staff of this numerical strength is really required.

1 Ranger on Rs. 50+15.
3 Foresters on Rs. 15 each.
12 Watchers on Rs. 7 each.

F. Government Order No. 4768-71—Ft. F. 25-98, dated 6th January 1900.

The proposals made by Major Jones are very fair and as the Conservator will have full control over the management of the kavals and the admission of cattle into the selected parts, Government can see no element of discord or friction. The watching and conservancy establishment will be exclusively under the control and direction of the Forest Department, and there seems to be no objection to the issue of the tickets or passes through the Amrut Mahal Department, at least temporarily for one year. Indeed, the whole scheme may be considered as on trial for one year; and the temporary additional establishment, which is hereby sanctioned as per details in the margin, must also be for that period from the date of this order.

1 Ranger on Rs. 50+15.
3 Foresters on Rs. 15 each.
12 Watchers on Rs. 7 each.

Rs. 134 per mensem.

2. In the interests of the general conservancy of the Amrut Mahal kavals, the Government would desire the Conservator to make up his mind to manage these kavals in accordance with the conditions proposed by Major Jones, and as there is perfectly clear and good understanding between these two Heads of Departments, Government are not without hopes that the small friction which may yet arise from the conduct of the subordinate officials may not be made the ground for not making this experiment a success.

(2) Letter No. 2815—161, dated 28th February 1900, from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, to the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments.

I have the honour to prefer the following appeal for a revision of the orders contained in Government Proceedings No. 4768-71—Ft. F. 25-98, dated 6th ultimo, regarding the forest conservancy of certain kavals in the Kadur district and elsewhere; as well as to submit a respectful protest against the manner in which this case has been dealt with by the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department in his note of 2nd October 1899, printed and circulated with the orders above quoted.

2. The grounds upon which I base my request for a further consideration of this case are, mainly—

(*a*) that the Amrut Mahal Officer (it may be unwittingly) has assumed throughout this matter, in his notes printed in the Proceedings, the functions of the Conservator of Forests in addition to his own:

(*b*) that the Amrut Mahal Officer has mistakenly advised Government, owing to his failure to fully appreciate general interests involved and to his unacquaintance with the fundamental principles of forest organisation:

(*c*) that the instructions in regard to sylvicultural and general forest management of the kavals contained in the Government Order of the 6th ultimo and in the previous Order dated 22nd April 1899 (Proceedings No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98) are based for the greater part on three printed notes by the Amrut Mahal Officer, *viz.*, those dated 4th November 1898 and 2nd and 6th October 1899; and that though the subject dealt with is mainly of a technical character involving matters specially within the sphere of a Forest Officer's duty, I, as Conservator of Forests, was not permitted to see any of these notes before orders were issued.

3. I desire to state in the first place, as I stated in an unofficial note, dated 26th May 1899, that hypercriticism or an obstructive attitude is far from my intention. In fact, except where the Amrut Mahal Officer has himself intervened, I took early action in carrying into effect such portions of the orders as I and my assistants understood. There has been no avoidable delay in my Department; and, so far as my official action is concerned, the case has pursued its normal course up to date. I merely awaited the receipt of orders regarding the "rights and privileges of the neighbouring villages," referred to in para 5 of the Government Order of 22nd April 1899, to submit a reference to Government with specific proposals and requesting further instructions in regard to portions of the Order which I believed myself physically and professionally unable to carry into effect. I propose now to include in this letter the remarks which I had originally intended to submit for consideration, and for the first time to place before Government officially my opinion in regard to the specific case of the Yemmedoddi and other kavals in the Kadur district, so far as their sylvicultural management is concerned. I shall also take the opportunity of officially recording my opinion in respect of the far-reaching general proposal made by the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department in his note dated 6th October 1899.

4. It seems unnecessary to refer to the previous history of the case of the Kamenahalli group of kavals in the Kadur district, except in so far as that history, and the remarks of experienced officers in regard to it, affects the forest management on the lines laid down by the Amrut Mahal Officer who, as will be observed from the papers, admits that he has never even visited the areas. The

papers printed with the Proceedings of 22nd April 1899 show how the system of management ordered in August 1890 was, as the Deputy Commissioner states, "virtually nullified" by misunderstandings with the Amrut Mahal Department in the matter of grazing, and by interference with the personal pecuniary advantages derived by petty officials of that Department from the pasturage of village and other cattle. The observations of the Deputy Commissioners (Mr. Carr and Mr. Weir, late I. C. S.) and of the Conservator of Forests, Colonel Campbell Walker, emphasised in a remarkable manner the lamentable results of the system of dual control exercised by the Forest and Amrut Mahal Departments, and the necessity, if the Forest Department were to properly conserve the forests, of enabling that Department to exercise adequate control of all the interests required to ensure good forest management. I would specially invite a reference to the remarks contained in Col. Walker's note of 14th February 1898, which was almost entirely concurred in by Mr. Weir. Colonel Walker, writing of the valuable perquisites of the Amrut Mahal officials, declared control and conservancy to be "well nigh impossible under the present system." In para 11 of the same note he sketched in outline a possible future working scheme. But his scheme was professedly based upon and pre-supposed "complete control" and the application of "sound economic principles" of forest management. It provided for the grazing of Government cattle; but it was expressly contingent on the abolition of so much of the "perquisites" of the Amrut Mahal drovers, &c., as were derived from the levy of fees from village cattle. This levy of fees was well known to Colonel Walker, as it is to me and to the local Forest officers, as the root of the difficulty and as subversive of all real forest control. For the sums of money received are very large in the aggregate, and those possessing them will really control the admission of cattle, whether or not a number of ill-paid and untrustworthy Forest watchers (of the class customarily recruited) are entertained for the nominal purpose of securing an effective control. Colonel Walker declared, and experience confirms it with overwhelming force, that "it will be very difficult to enforce any conservancy measures or regulation of fellings, &c., so long as villagers have free entry on payment of grazing fees to Amrut Mahal subordinates and we have no properly organized or supervised establishment to put a stop to irregularities." In one respect the then Conservator misunderstood the position. He underrated the number and extent of the privileges to take fodder and fuel which should be recorded in favour of the villages adjoining the kavals. This error did not affect his outline scheme, but it has materially affected my action and the possibilities of forest management. For it would have been manifestly impossible to prepare a workable scheme of management until the nature and extent of these privileges had been inquired into, recorded and approved by Government. This point, and others, appear to have been entirely overlooked by the Amrut Mahal Officer when formulating his plans of forest management. With the exception of the villagers' privileges (which have, I consider, been most rightly conceded), I am in entire accord with all that Colonel Walker wrote on this subject. It will be seen that the Deputy Commissioner (Mr. Weir) agreed with Colonel Walker; considered that conservancy could not be effectively carried out unless the divided and ineffective system of control were put an end to; and held that the undoubted rights of the Amrut Mahal Department in the matter of pasturage could "be easily secured and safeguarded on the system described in Colonel Campbell Walker's official note." In submitting the papers to Government on the 19th August 1898, Colonel Campbell Walker expressed his belief that efforts in conserving the kavals could be of no effect "until the vested interests of the shervegars and kavalgars are enquired into and settled, as has, I believe, been suggested by the Military Assistant."

5. When commenting on the reports of the officers above alluded to, the Amrut Mahal Officer confined his attention to the two bare issues, (*a*) provision of grazing for Government cattle and (*b*) compensation to subordinates in the matter of perquisites. He mentioned that he "would place the forestry in

proper hands"; but his proposals, which were accepted by Government, were liable to tie in advance the hands of a forest organiser. Moreover, in regard to his scheme of closures, he overlooked the interests of the raiyats who, as will be seen from para 15 of the Deputy Commissioner's letter of 27th July 1898, have the first claim on the produce of the kavals. To close areas as he proposed would, as is proved by the more recent village settlement, have inflicted great hardships on the villagers. Major Jones, too, owing probably to his unacquaintance with the locality, appears to have overlooked other very relevant circumstances, such, for instance, as the fact that his cattle (*i. e.* the Government cattle) are never pastured in certain very extensive portions of the kavals, and that their grazing is restricted—and, if I am correctly informed, almost necessarily restricted—to the vicinity of the large tanks where water and excellant fodder are usually plentiful. From information received, I believe that were any attempt made to enforce his scheme of closures, his subordinates would be the first to rise up and protest against the *Forest Department* overriding immemorial custom and endangering the safety of the herds. This belief is not merely based on information as to the facts of this case but on knowledge of what took place in similar cases.

6. Upon receipt of the orders dated 22nd April 1899, I found myself in the awkward position that, while I was rendered responsible for their execution, neither the Forest Officers subordinate to me who were directly concerned, nor myself, could understand how they could be carried out in practice. I therefore represented, in an unofficial note dated 26th May 1899, the difficulties under which I laboured. I pointed out that I had not been permitted to consider the proposals of the Amrut Mahal Officer before orders were passed; that the orders tied in advance my hands in the matter of conservancy; that their effect, as bearing on the possibilities of forest management, appeared to have been misunderstood; and that, agreeing with Col. Walker and Mr. Weir, I felt with my professional knowledge that the effective control aimed at could not be attained under the orders as they stood. I indicated that the "head water area could not be marked out in terms of the orders, because the upper waters in question lie almost wholly outside the kavals; and that, from the point of view of the water-supply, the three kavals should be looked upon as a whole, there being scarcely more reason for conserving one part than another. I also stated why, supposing it possible to mark out the "head water area," that area could not be treated as a close State Forest nor could all cutting be stopped so long as the Amrut Mahal Department were free to claim cattle grazing and so long as the villagers were permitted, in terms of the Government orders, to exercise their privileges in it. Lastly I indicated, with reference to the note dated 4th November 1898, by the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department, that the opening and closing in sequence of areas was, in the present case, impracticable owing to the customs of the villagers; and that it was impossible to say what could be done in the matter of forest conservancy until the forest settlement of village concessions had been completed. I subsequently referred to this latter fact in para 5 of my letter of 8th August 1899 to the Deputy Commissioner, (*vide* page 9 of Proceedings dated 6th January 1900).

7. After submitting that note which explained fully my difficulty and to which I solicit a reference, I took action, as will be seen from the printed papers, in regard to the village settlement. In reply to my letter dated 22nd August 1899, I anticipated orders merely accepting or otherwise the settlement as recommended for adoption by the Deputy Commissioner and by myself, and the proposals as to grazing fees to be levied. Had I expected the re-issue unaltered of the orders of April 1899, with supplementary directions which (as I respectfully beg to submit) still further increase my difficulty in the matter of forest conservancy, I should have also addressed Government on the general issues involved.

8. I now turn to the note dated 2nd October 1899, by the Head of the Amrut Mahal Department, upon which para 1 of the Government Order dated 6th January 1900, is based and of which, I repeat, I knew nothing until I received it in print. As regards the first portion of that note under (*a*) and (*b*),

my unofficial note dated 26th May 1899, was placed at the disposal of the Amrut Mahal Officer, who, had he read it or studied the maps and village settlement record, should have been aware,

(*a*) that the Conservator can neither describe nor define the "head waters" area referred to; or, supposing definition to be possible in itself, that the Conservator is unable to define the area in practice without overriding the orders in other respects: and

(*b*) that the "remaining area" cannot (other sylvicultural objections apart) be opened and closed by blocks as proposed without practically nullifying the forest settlement of village privileges concluded under the orders of the Deputy Commissioner.

9. Turning to the remarks of the Amrut Mahal Officer as to grazing allotment, I would remark that the most noteworthy "unknown quantity" is the average annual area really required for the pasturage of Government and shervegars' cattle. It will be observed from his note of 4th November 1898, that the Amrut Mahal Officer is in doubt whether the *entire area of 35,000 acres* will always be sufficient for these cattle, though it is a matter of common knowledge that the shervegars have customarily pastured in the kavals large numbers of village and draught cattle. Further, and as indicating the degree in which Major Jones would make *everything* subservient to the grazing of his cattle, I would point out that, in his note of 2nd October 1899, he proposes not merely that the area of the proposed State Forest but the measure of enjoyment of privileges by certain villagers, should actually be variable quantities dependant on the needs (or the needs as alleged by the shervegars, who are extremely interested persons) of the Government and shervegars' cattle. I lay stress on this point as affording additional confirmation of my and Col. Walker's proposition that the real control will vest in the shervegars, etc., and not in the Forest Department. The Amrut Mahal Officer further proposed that the order as to fees to be charged for grazing should stand over until the area available for grazing is known. As pointed out in my letter of the 28th August last, para 6, the available pasturage can only be learned by experience under a proper system of management, one feature of which is the levy of fixed fees. The area available for pasturage is known, though its extent in acres has not been ascertained. The parts of the kavals which may probably be treated as State Forest are certain remote and hilly areas already naturally self-protected by their position, not much grazed over by Government or other cattle and, therefore, in no need of formal closure. The remaining portions of the kavals must, so far as I can understand, remain continuously open in order to satisfy the requirements of the villagers, as ascertained and recorded, and of the Government *plus* shervegars' cattle. What is not known, but what the District Forest Officer informed me can easily be ascertained by a responsible official of the Amrut Mahal Department, is the area in which the Government (and accompanying shervegar's) cattle are customarily pastured. If this area were defined one of the great difficulties foreseen by Colonel Walker and by me would disappear. And as regards the question of fees, I would point out that, as the tendency of the orders is to curtail the large profits heretofore obtained by the shervegars, leaving the amount of the grazing fee for village cattle to be decided by the shervegars may be expected to result in the villagers being mulcted in a fee considerably higher than that (namely 4 annas per head) recommended by the Deputy Commissioner and by myself. This question appears to me to have an important bearing on the control of the Forest Department. In his first note Major Jones estimated the village cattle which would be grazed for the profit of his subordinates at 300 head; but in his note of 2nd October 1899 he increases the demand to about 3,000 head. He bases his reason on the degree of strictness in the conservancy; and this I do not, as forest officer accustomed to deal with such questions, understand. For the rest, I would respectfully submit that only No. 3 of Major Jones' summary of directions to the Conservator concerns his Department, or at least that the remaining three directions mainly concern mine. I have shown that Nos. 1 and 2 are impracticable, while I am convinced that the effect of No. 4 will be to oppress the adjoining villagers.

10. I should not refer to Major Jones' proposals were I not confident that their effect had been, in some measure, misapprehended by Government or had I, as the responsible adviser of Government in forest questions, been enabled to express my opinion in regard to them. I may perhaps without presumption remark that I have been accustomed for many years, both as a District Forest Officer and as Assistant Inspector General of Forests to the Government of India, to deal with forest settlements, schemes of management and grazing arrangements under a great variety of conditions. And that in so dealing I have been trained to consider the various issues involved and not to take a purely narrow or departmental view of the interests to be served. Without wishing to detract from the capability of the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department in such matters, Major Jones would probably not claim special knowledge of forest questions. As regards this special case, I believe he had not, up to the 6th October last, any personal knowledge of the kavals now in question. And he has indeed frankly informed me that he had not had time to get hold of the Amrut Mahal Department but was gradually feeling his way. Whatever the relative value of his advice and mine may be, I must respectfully ask Government to take note of the fact that, with such experience and knowledge as I possess, I feel myself incapable, professionally and otherwise, of carrying to a successful issue the orders as to forest management on the lines drawn by him. My knowledge of forest management in Europe and in India affords no instance of conditions being imposed on the Forest Department such as he would impose. I can confidently say, both from Colonel Campbell Walker's verbal representations to me and from the printed papers in this case, that my predecessor would agree with me in this. Efficient forest management is dependant on the exercise of undivided control by the forest officer and the settlement or ascertainment of the various interests to be provided for. In the present instance, basing my opinion on the opinions of qualified officers as recorded in the papers in this case, and on my own experience, I confidently submit that there will inevitably be divided control and action in support of opposing interests subversive of all real forest improvement. In no way will the Forest Department be able to efficiently control the actions, movements and realisations (in cash or kind) of the Amrut Mahal officials; while the independence of the latter and their interests in fighting against a reduction of their profits will occasion all the old well-known troubles. I venture to suggest that Government, in the order of 6th January 1900, have misapprehended what the control will be in effect. Briefly, in this case, whoever has ample funds and the facility of obtaining more will secure practically complete control of the grazing and that firing of the forest which gives rise to a good re-growth of grass. The profits of the Amrut Mahal subordinates in this group of kavals have been great. The estimate of the annual profit varies; but the sum cannot probably be taken at a lower figure than Rs. 10,000 in cash alone. Reference to the Comptroller has shown that the sums credited by the Amrut Mahal Department as kaval *terige* to treasury have been as marginally noted for three years. Experience proves that, with the large sums at their disposal, the shervegars and kavalgars will control the low-paid ignorant forest watchers who are temporarily recruited for the very purpose of preventing them from realising the profits which they have enjoyed for many years. True, grazing tickets are to be issued by the Forest Department; but if the forest watchers are in the hands of the servegars, as I hold must be the case, the ticket system will entirely fail in its object. The shervegars are, in any case, to be permitted to fix for the present the village cattle grazing fees, so that they will have a valuable fund at their disposal. Moreover, uncontrolled as their movements to a great extent are, they will practically be able to secure grazing in any one of the proposed blocks. The local Forest officers well know what this means; and that any attempt by the Forest Department to *regulate* (as proposed by Colonel Walker and myself) the grazing of these cattle would give rise to open obstruction, forest fires, denunciations and contradictory petitions. On the whole I submit for consideration that, given the strongly opposed interests involved, the class of subordinates recruited by both Departments and the control exercised at present by superior officials of the

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Amrut Mahal Department, it would be unreasonable to expect the Amrut Mahal petty officials to forego any large proportion of their valuable perquisites without a prolonged struggle in which the forest staff, in its present weak and disorganised condition, cannot be successful. At any rate I am well assured that in India generally failure would be considered almost certain in such conditions. While every Forest Officer of this State with whom I have discussed the subject agrees in my views. I may close these remarks by noting that the strength and pay of the Forest staff suggested in my letter of 12th September 1899, was contingent on the Amrut Mahal subordinates receiving the fees for a small proportion of the village cattle instead of all, as subsequently ordered.

11. My criticism of Major Jones' proposals should not be considered as purely destructive; for, had I had the opportunity, I should have endeavoured to construct with him a scheme which, while fully safeguarding the interests of his Department would have done the best possible for the forest growth. I am well aware that these forests are Amrut Mahal kavals; and I understand Government to have decided that the preponderating interest in them vests in the Amrut Mahal Department. Major Jones and I discussed such a scheme (though not I think with special reference to this group of kavals) and I believed that an understanding had been arrived at. The scheme simply was to this effect: that, to avoid the necessity of any dual control and to prevent friction, the Forest Department should not interfere in the management at all. But that the Amrut Mahal Department should take steps to prevent the felling of the tree growth and firing of the forests, a course which, if successful, would practically secure all that the Forest Department could hope to obtain in the matter of conservancy pending a reorganisation of the Amrut Mahal Department. I venture respectfully to press this course on the notice of Government in respect of the Kamenahalli kavals. If that course cannot be agreed to I would, as an alternative, suggest that the orders be revised and as to provide for the following:—

(*a*) The Amrut Mahal Department to ascertain over what portions of the kavals Government (with, if considered desirable, shervegar's) cattle have customarily and in actual practice been pastured. [Evidence goes to show that, relatively to the total area of the kavals, the area actually used by the Amrut Mahal herds is not very large].

(*b*) The area as ascertained under (*a*) to be delimitated, and the grazing of 1,000 Government, &c., cattle to be confined therein, unless for special and exceptional reasons.

(*c*) The kavals to be under the control and management of the Deputy Commissioner and of his Forest Assistant, subject to the supervision or advice of the Conservator in technical matters.

(*d*) With the exception of a head limited to 1,000 cattle (Government and shervegars), for all cattle pastured the fees proposed, namely, four annas and one rupee, will be paid and credited to forest revenue.

(*e*) The Deputy Commissioner will arrange to refund from time to time to the shervegars and other officials concerned of the Amrut Mahal Department all the fees realised by the pasturage of cattle belonging to the listed villages [and such further proportion of fees derived from foreign cattle as Government may decide].

(*f*) The Forest Department to arrange, subject to the foregoing and to the requirements of the villagers as recorded at settlement, for the general conservancy, improvement and utilisation of the forest produce in the kavals.

I do not know how this scheme would be regarded by the Amrut Mahal Officer. It would provide, I suggest, for the requirements of the Government cattle and for the profits of the servegars. Probably the latter care more for profits than for what is called prestige; and so far as the Forest Department is concerned it is immaterial whether or not the total revenue of the kavals from

every source is handed over to the shervegars. What my scheme essentially provides for is the collection of all revenue by the same agency and for a real and effective control to be exercised by an undivided authority. The fiscal and general control of the Deputy Commissioner and Forest Officer would, in fact, be such as is uniformly considered necessary if forest management is to be efficient. I trust that, if Government is not prepared to hand the kavals over to the exclusive management of the Amrut Mahal Officer who holds the preponderating interest, the scheme sketched above may, if approved by that Officer, be sanctioned. In any event I suggest that the orders of April 1899 and January 1900, will require some modification or amplification both as regards sylvicultural management and on subsidiary points, such as the grazing fees leviable, the protective establishment required and the manner in which that establishment is to be paid.

12. I conclude my remarks on the Amrut Mahal Officer's proposals by referring to his note of 6th October 1899 which, like his other notes, reached me for the first time with the orders. I understand from the wording of the note of 6th October that it refers to the Kamenahalli group of kavals. If so, I may point out that it does not harmonise in all respects with the suggestions in the same Officer's note of 22nd October; while it presents to my mind several of the grave drawbacks to good forest management with which I have dealt in this letter. The note is, in some respects, a sylvicultural direction to the Conservator; and I am confident that the scheme, considered as one of general application, is, from the forest conservancy standpoint, impracticable; while I can assure Government that it would still further increase, in present circumstances, the difficulties under which the forest administration is conducted. The Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department has proposed to me, and I believe to Government, the transfer of his Department to my charge; but I have expressed myself as strongly opposed to such a step until at least the forest establishments have been strengthened and until the very peculiar constitution and customs of the Amrut Mahal Department have been so altered that a fusion of the two Departments would lead to effective administration in accord with modern and recognised methods. I must repudiate the suggestion which has been made that I attacked the Amrut Mahal Department. I have repeatedly stated that I have no concern with that Department except in particular cases where Government has ordered to the contrary; and that my earnest desire, in the interests of my own Department, is that things should for the present remain as they are. What I and my predecessor have been obliged to do is to refer to certain customs (notably the extraordinary custom of "perquisites") of the Amrut Mahal Department as prejudicially affecting forest administration in particular cases where the two Departments touch each other. Thus in my letter No. 975—228, dated the 2nd September 1899, on this subject, and to which I would invite a reference, I pointed out that, to employ a phrase used by Colonel Campbell Walker, the interference of the Amrut Mahal Department as at present organised is "utterly antagonistic" to forest conservancy and improvement. In that letter and in the present communication I have given *some* of the reasons why *in present circumstances* the fusion of the Amrut Mahal and Forest Departments would greatly embarrass me. I have not stated all the reasons, because I particularly desired not to unnecessarily criticise another Department. But I am confident that an independent enquiry would bring to light a great body of evidence proving that the objects and interests of the subordinates of both Departments are diametrically opposed. In conformity with the wishes of Government, Major Jones and I consulted together with a view to find an issue from the difficulty; but, as appears to have been the case with our predecessors, we could not agree on a scheme which would give the usual facilities to the Forest Officers. In default of that, however, we agreed (or I thought we had agreed) on a plan, (that referred to in para 11 *ante*), in virtue of which the sole control should vest for the present in the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department who would take special measures for the conservation of the tree-growth by suppressing fires. From the correspondence between Major Jones and the Deputy commissioner, Kadur, a copy of which I append, I anticipated that the former officer

had accepted that scheme and would recommend it to Government. It was not until the issue of the orders of January last that I became aware that a totally different plan of management had been proposed to, and generally approved by, Government.

13. In conclusion I would draw attention to the reports of my predecessor and myself adverting to the great difficulty experienced in administering the forest property of Government and proposing certain reforms. Orders on these proposals, which dealt among other matters with an improvement of forest establishments and with the desirability of the Conservator being placed in a position enabling him to explain his views on technical matters more clearly to Government, have not yet been received. As I am held primarily responsible for good forest administration, I would respectfully request Government to accept my assurance that, in existing conditions, the difficulties of the Forest Department would be materially increased by its being linked to the Amrut Mahal Department. There are actually only a very few cases where the two Departments are in contact, so to speak. One of these cases is that of the Kamenahalli group of kavals; and in para 11 above I have recommended alternative courses of action. Finally, although the matter is relatively unimportant, I would respectfully submit for the consideration of Government that the circulation among my subordinates, Amildars, etc., (who in fact saw the papers before I did) of the Amrut Mahal Officer's note, dated 2nd October 1899 (which I was not permitted to see or defend myself in respect of) tended towards lessening the personal influence which I can exert and therefore to increase the difficulties to which I have alluded.

ENCLOSURE TO No. (2).

Letter No. 975—228, dated Bangalore, the 2nd September 1899, from J. L. Pigot, Esq., Conservator of Forests in Mysore, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

I have the honor, in continuation of my letter No. 786—228, dated the 19th ultimo, to submit the following remarks and to solicit orders of Government in connection with a doubtful point which has arisen in the application of the orders contained in Proceedings No. 10781-2—Ft. F. 40-95, dated the 13th May 1898, regarding the grazing management of certain forests in the Hassan district.

2. Anticipating friction with the subordinate officials of the Amrut Mahal Department in the application of these orders, I enquired from Major Jones in January last whether he could furnish particulars of his requirements; but in reply he informed me that his Department desired to have entire control of any grazing which might be available. I therefore instructed the District Forest Officer simply to carry out the Government Order of 13th May 1898 without special reference to the requirements of Government cattle.

3. It appears that the District Forest Officer, acting with the Deputy Commissioner's concurrence, assigned certain areas for the grazing of Amrut Mahal cattle, and, out of the balance of the forest tract to be rendered, in terms of the Government Order, "strictly amenable to the jurisdiction of the Forest Department and of its Rules," leased out the right to graze in certain portions and credited the sale proceeds to treasury.

4. The question is whether or not this action was authorized by the Government orders. I met the Military Assistant in conference on the 29th ultimo, and now understand, both from what he said and by reading his previous letters in the light of what he told me, that we interpret the orders differently. If, as he contends, the management of whatever grazing may be permitted in any part of the tracts concerned is to be controlled for the profit of the Government cattle and the shervegars, &c., then the action of the District Forest Officer has been incorrect. Hitherto I (and, I think, the Deputy Com-

missioner and District Forest Officer) supposed that the control of grazing by the Amrut Mahal Department was only to be exercised in such portions of the areas as might be set apart by the Forest Department specially for that purpose.

5. My principal reason for placing this interpretation on the orders is that, to employ a phrase used by my predecessor in this correspondence, the interference of the Amrut Mahal Department, as at present organized, is "utterly antagonistic" to forest conservancy and improvement. Grazing is not by itself antagonistic. On the contrary, the Forest Departments throughout India control and regulate the grazing as a part of forest conservancy. But the control exercised is absolute and the grazing is really regulated. Now I venture to submit that the Amrut Mahal Department grazing is in no sense regulated except as regards the numbers and movements of *Government* cattle. But the shervegars' cattle and the village cattle pastured at the instance of the Amrut Mahal subordinates, are the real cause of the difficulty. Broadly speaking, wherever Amrut Mahal grazing takes place, in the maidan and semi-malnad, the forests, for reasons well known to all who have experience of the subject, are fired either yearly or at short intervals. On the other hand, cattle grazing, regulated by the Forest Department, will not lead to fires, will improve the tree growth, (including sandal, which is now destroyed in quantity) will better the quality of the fodder and will bring revenue into the Government treasuries. In practice it is often found that an area subjected to strict sylvicultural management *ought* to be grazed over under certain limitations. If it be not grazed over, inflammable materials accumulate, and legitimate grazing revenue is needlessly sacrificed. Such grazing cannot, I am perfectly certain, be regulated, restricted and properly supervised by the Amrut Mahal Department as at present constituted. And the reason is obvious. While the admission of the small numbers of Government cattle would constitute no difficulty, the Amrut Mahal subordinate officials cannot reasonably be expected to voluntarily forego any of their extremely valuable perquisites in the interests of forest conservancy.

6. I have discussed these matters with Major Jones, I think I correctly appreciate the difficulties of the position on both sides, and have carefully considered the points involved with a view to a compromise. But the divergence of interests is so direct and so great that I can see no satisfactory issue. All the world over it is recognised as a truism that if there is to be forest conservancy, as opposed to forest destruction, the control of the Forest Officers must be real and adequate. In the present position of the kavals now in question, and of the Kadur district kavals (Proceedings No. 7597-9—Ft. F. 25-98, dated 24th April 1899) I can look forward to no real forest improvement but only to constant friction (and all that friction brings with it) with petty officials of the Amrut Mahal Department. Thus while the Amrut Mahal Department officials in Hassan complain that the Forest Department has curtailed the pasturage available for Government cattle, it appears that the same officials had already leased out to village grazing the very areas leased out by the Forest Department! And, in respect of the Kadur district kavals, I have to-day received a letter from the Deputy Commissioner saying: "The Amrut Mahal "Superintendent has been asked to cancel the lease of the grass which his men "have given to a private person, even after the transfer of the kavals to the "Revenue Department." The pecuniary interests involved are, in fact, so important that sharp antagonism between subordinate officials cannot, I think, be avoided wherever the two Departments touch. Government has rendered the Forest Department responsible for the forest conservation and improvement of the kavals now in question, as well as those of Yemmedoddi, &c., in the Kadur district. It is physically impossible for the forests to be conserved much less improved unless what are called the "perquisites" of the Amrut Mahal Department petty officials are greatly interfered with. These "perquisites" have, I believe, enormously outgrown what was originally intended by the State and now include large sums of what, in other parts of India, would be considered forest revenue of the most legitimate kind. On the other hand, the

Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department, while he is quite prepared to work in accord with my views as far as he can, and whose courtesy in this matter I readily acknowledge, insists, as an essential condition, that the "perquisites" of his Department should not be injured to any great extent. I repeat, forest operations *must* greatly interfere with these "perquisites," which have, for instance, been heavily trenched upon by the recent orders of Government concerning the Yemmedoddi kavals in Kadur.

7. In these circumstances I venture strongly to recommend for the consideration of Government the adoption of the principle that wherever, from the requirements of the Amrut Mahal Department as decided by Government, the Forest Department cannot be given a free and undivided control in the management of the forests, the areas should be handed over entirely to the Amrut Mahal Department, and that the Forest Department should no longer be concerned with them so far as improvement of forest growth, including grass fodder, is concerned.

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2. By virtue of its origin and the purpose it fulfils under engagements subsisting with the British Government, the Amrut Mahal is a quasi-military institution; and so long as this is the case, it would not be expedient to transfer its functions to the Forest Department merely because of the great importance of some of the Amrut Mahal Kavals as forest property. It may, however, be freely acknowledged that from other points of view the arrangement alluded to would present several unquestioned advantages.

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The first of these privileges appears to have certain compensating advantages: both herds are fed together, and the existence of the private herds forms a strong inducement to the herdsmen to attend closely to the cattle in their charge, and keeps them alive to the necessity of visiting the best pastures; the private herds, moreover, are a security from which the Government is accustomed to recoup losses in cattle. It seems undesirable, therefore, to entirely abrogate the privilege, but it is necessary, if the privilege is to be retained, that its extent should be regulated and made to bear some definite relation to the strength of the herds in the charge of the Servegars and to the other elements, if any, which contribute to the onerousness of their duties.

As regards the other privilege, perhaps the only thing that can be said in its favor is that it invests the Servegars with a position of influence in the eyes of the villagers, by means of which, it is said, they are enabled to avail themselves

in case of need of the services of the latter without any special expense to Government. It is clear, however, that the convenience, such as it is, is by no means commensurate with the loss to Government in the direct realisations from grazing leases, which there is reason to fear must be very considerable. The retention of the privilege, even in a modified form, is certain to open the door to abuse and fraud on the part of the subordinate agency. And rather than countenance a system that is so objectionable on principle and so injurious to the interests of the Government revenue, the Government may express its readiness to consider favorably any proposals for a reorganisation of the establishment of the Amrut Mahal which will provide for a suitable increase to the recognized each emoluments of the herdsmen and for such indispensable additions to the strength of the existing establishments as will enable the Department to dispense with the necessity of relying on outside help in the discharge of any portion of its duties.

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that it is not possible or necessary to define or delimit the area in which the cattle are customarily pastured, that the letting out of the grazing on pastures reserved by the Amrut Mahal Department should be strictly refrained from, but that, subject to these indispensable conditions, the actual leasing out of superfluous grazing should be effected by the Forest Department without let or hindrance, that the Amrut Mahal Department should have nothing to do with such transactions, and that the grazing receipts should be collected by the Forest Department, and credited at the end of each year to the Amrut Mahal Department minus working expenses. Should these measures not prove enough to secure adequate grazing for the Amrut Mahal cattle, all leases of pasture may be made subject to the express condition that, if the same is at any time required for the Amrut Mahal herds, the unexpired term of the leases should be cancelled on refund of the proportionate amounts of rent.

No doubt under such an arrangement realisations from grazing fees will probably be less than if the Forest Department had entire discretion with regard to setting apart the area required for the grazing of the Amrut Mahal cattle, and were free to dispose absolutely of the grazing in areas not so set apart. But under the circumstances the Government need not be unwilling to forego the additional revenue which might otherwise accrue.

5. In the arrangement thus contemplated due regard must of course be had to any customary rights or privileges of the neighbouring villages. This, however, cannot present much difficulty, and is in any case a permanent factor, whether the control of the grazing be vested with the Amrut Mahal or with the Forest Department. The Conservator may be asked to take early steps to carry out the forest settlement of village concessions in such kavals.

6. If the foregoing views are approved, the Conservator of Forests may be requested to give early effect to them in the case of the specific kavals in the Kadur and Hassan districts which have latterly formed the subject of correspondence, and to take these views as starting-point in dealing with other kavals of a similar character. On subsidiary points, such as the entertainment of additional protective establishment, the scale of grazing fees to be levied, the demarcation of portions of kavals as State Forests, and so forth, the Conservator may apply to Government in the usual course for instructions.

(4) NOTE BY THE MILITARY ASSISTANT,

Dated 2nd October 1900.

With reference to the Note regarding Amrut Mahal matters by the Officiating Dewan, forwarded with Secretary's No. 2368—Ft. F. 25 98 of 13th September 1900 :—

I append my remarks as invited :

I would ask the Dewan to kindly peruse the enclosed Note on the subject, made by the Superintendent of the Amrut Mahal Department.

Mr. Virasami Mudaliar is somewhat discursive, but though the wording is in parts somewhat unhappy, the Note contains many sensible remarks on the points under discussion, and these will, I think, assist the Dewan in coming to a conclusion as to the action Government should take.

I am of opinion that the Conservator has considerably over-estimated—

(*a*) the amount absorbed by the Amrut Mahal officials;

(*b*) the profit which would accrue to Government if the sales of grazing were worked by his Department;

(*c*) the injury done to the Forest products in the kavals.

It is, however, in any case impossible for one Department to be answerable for the condition of cattle, the feeding of which is regulated by another.

If therefore the grazing is to be regulated or controlled by the Forest Department, that Department ought to have the responsibility for the breeding and condition of the cattle.

As regards absorption of revenue by the Amrut Mahal Department.

The Superintendent's Note compares the revenue derived from certain kavals when under the Amrut Mahal and lately under the Forest Department.

Considering that a proportion of the pay of establishment may be considered to have been deducted from the revenue handed in by the Amrut Mahal and also that grazing has been of late years in greater demand, I think that Mr. Virasami Mudaliar seems to have produced evidence in favor of the Amrut Mahal as a collecting Department. I should also note that (as outlined in a previous communication) I have already started a scheme by which I hope to credit Government with the revenue of all surplus grazing.

As regards any profit which might accrue, if the grazing sales were worked by the Forest Department :

I would note that Forest sales are to the highest bidder, the purchaser or middle-man has no particular interest in keeping the kaval clear of diseased cattle, &c., his interest is merely temporary.

The villager under this system moreover pays a high rate for grazing and cannot afford to pasture many cattle ; and he consequently ploughs less land than he would under the less restricted grazing of the old Amrut Mahal method.

As regards injury to forest products :

The kavals have been in Amrut Mahal possession for nearly 100 years and the products which are supposed to be suffering at Amrut Mahal hands, have been born and brought up to their present state under Amrut Mahal management.

As regards "Scientific Sylviculture" in the kavals, the Superintendevt, Amrut Mahal, somewhat caustically remarks that if these methods can be carried out by Forest Rangers and other subordinates, it is probable they are within the comprehension of Servegars and Darogas.

Any hints in this direction, which can be carried out without interfering with the grazing, will of course be gratefully received and will always command attention.

Altogether looking at the matter as impartially as I can, I do not think Government would be wise to change the old system.

I agree with the Superintendent that change of management and the uncertain action of Government in regard to the control of kavals has unsettled the Department and that it requires a much stricter supervision than has obtained of late years.

In this view I would earnestly call attention to his recommendation for a slight increase in the pay of the Darogas.

We want better men in this position and we want them kept in better order.

In conclusion I would venture to point out the very impossible position in which the action of Government in regard to surrender of kavals has lately placed me.

The Amrut Mahal cattle are in wretched condition and the Hassan Deputy Commissioner has sold without my permission grazing which my Superintendent informs me is so situated as to be of the greatest importance to the Department. I would therefore beg that unless, I am in future to be permitted absolute control over all sales of grazing, the Deparment may be transferred to the Conservator, so that (as pointed out earlier in my note) the Officer controlling the grazing may have the responsibility of the cattle.

ENCLOSURE TO No. (4).

MEMO BY THE SUPERINTENDENT, AMRUT MAHAL.

Your notes of the 1st instant regarding the controversy between the Forest and the Amrut Mahal Departments, on the subject of control and management of the Amrut Mahal Kavals assigned over for forest protection to the Forest Department and of Amrut Mahal kavals generally, and Government order of the 13th instant, regarding the control of Yemmedoddi, &c., Kavals in Kadur district were received by me yesterday and have been carefully perused.

I presume you must have modified to certain extent your views as given in the notes since receiving the Kadur District Deputy Commissioner's letter on which the above letter has issued.

I have nothing to say about your resolve that the Amrut Mahal being quasi-Military Department it should remain under me but that the charge will prove unsatisfactory and undesirable unless the cause of conflicting interests and dual control observed by you is removed; and I regret that I cannot see my way to agreeing in the remedial measures you propose though anxious to meet your wishes.

You agree with me in considering that the Servegar establishmet must continue as co-cattle-breeders and allowed to keep private cattle to be attached to our herds and to ensure against our losses through their indiscretion or neglect but you disagree with me as to the necessity of maintaining their influence; with the adjoining villagers, which is equally, if not more, important by continuing to them the management of "Terige" and the letting out of the surplus grazing as you are inclined to think with the Conservator of Forests, that the forest improvement and preservation will be seriously affected thereby and you propose doing away with this privilege compensating him for loss of perquisites by money equivalent.

I beg to submit below the grounds of my dissent for deliberation and early orders of Government.

I. The withdrawal of this control from the Amrut Mahal Department and of this privilege from the servegars exercised from time immemorial, in favor of the Forest Department as you proceed to observe later on (I think co-eval with the origin of the Amrut Mahal Department in some form or other under the old Native Dynasties) will have the effect of severing the cordial tie which binds the villager to the Amrut Mahal Establishment and which dependence of villagers on this department is a necessary evil even though it comes to be regarded as an evil and this department cannot afford to forego this. Its loss will deteriorate the service by shortening it of the chief attractive to it for the servegar and kavalgar establishments who naturally look to this privilege as of equal if not of primary importance to being able to rear a certain number of their own cattle and it will be difficult as experienced to fill up much better paid and less responsible appointments in the Forest Department to secure men of reliability and substance. For without this influence would the servegars be able to command the hearty co-operation and assistance of the ryots of adjacent villages as at present, when on the servegars' and kavalgars' good will and friendliness depend more or less the admission of their cattle to privileged portions, *viz.* "Terige" and their chance of buying the stubble grazing in the "Nilgawal." Does the ryot as an agriculturist and does the rural cooly care to hire himself as a day labourer for money, especially in out of the way villages our kavals are mainly surrounded with? Would the servegar kavalgar have a host of the villagers at their beck, and call to promptly aid with hardly much inconvenience or loss of time to themselves? All those who are negotiating for kaval grass would respond now. Everybody having knowledge and experience of rural population is aware of the ryots' indifference to hire themselves as day labourers for money and to turn up at any emergency, and how their services even for liberal money-remunerations are to be coerced under Government authority.

See A { para 28 of Forest Report 1895-96.
B { para 188 of Forest Manual Or. No. 64 A.

2nd. Such friendly services and understanding are absolutely indispensable to this department when our cattle graze in the neighbourhood and at other times need not be detailed. In fact it may be safely asserted that the existing facilities for security and movements of cattle and their watch as well as of the kavals are secured in no small measure by keeping the villagers under their obligation. The servegar and his men get ready admission to the villages and obtain their supplies at any time they go day or night, rain or fair weather. Any reasonable help is not denied: sick and maimed cattle and attendants are looked after: stray cattles secured: temporary men for additional work or absentee's work may be engaged and reliable information supplied regarding these matters. The reciprocity of services blend the interests of the villagers and the cattlemen to promote and secure grass-growth, shade, &c, in the kavals. The incidence of labour, &c., contribution being distributed to a large number in the village must be light, and the system having grown with ages is well understood and is popular with the ryots and any money substitution for this loss must be at a prohibitive cost and after all may prove a failure.

3rd. The present system of management of the cattle and kavals has been found and repeatedly reported even to the Government of India to be the least expensive and best adapted to the peculiar requirements of the unique Amrut Mahal cattle and its establishment. It can also be proved to be the least exacting and oppressive but that, on the other hand, it largely contributes to the improvements of all cattle generally and to the benefit of the village and also of the forests they graze in. The "Terige" grazing fees our men levy, are regulated according to circumstances and so is the stubble contract or "Kuddisagu" of the Nilgaval or reserved portion, and it may be obvious from the relation of the ryots to the Amrut Mahal establishment as already sketched the demand could not be exacting, excessive or oppressive, and when any such abuse happens, this office has the right to interfere and ameliorate the condition. Notwithsanding this, the grazing realisations from which follows, may appear to compare very favorably with the results obtained in any other department. You observe that the convenience (the servegar gets as above) such as it is, is by no means commensurate with the loss to Government in the direct realisation from the grazing leases which there is reason to fear must be very considerable. Now I am ignorant on what data this remark is based, as the facts within my reach and possession prove the contrary and give the lie to the exaggerated notions of the present Conservator of Forests and his predecessors. I would call the favor of your attention to the remarks made by Colonel Hay in para 33 of the Amrut Mahal Annual Report of 1887-88 comparing the grazing realisations of kavals resigned to the Revenue Department. The para is quoted in the margin for easy reference. I would also request you to kindly compare the fuel and grazing fees realised under the Forest Department management. In Yemmedoddi and Kamenhalli for the 6 years it managed, with larger powers than the servegar has had, giving the ryots undefined interests of grazing: the grazing sale proceeds of Idahalla, Sigegudda and Ramdevarahalla kavals unauthorisedly sold up at this critical season by the District authorities in defiance of our protests, and that too negotiating for 8 months exclusive depasturing unknown in the annals of Amrut Mahal sales. (I have called kind attention to this and requesting interference to end these sales with this month in a separate letter

Under Amrut Mahal only grazing fee "Terige"		Under Forest both grazing and fuel fee.
1886-400/-	1891-92	721
87-444	92-93	610
88-500	93-94	903
89-500	94-95	...
90-465	95-96	461
	96-97	844

	Forest Department sale for 8 months depasturing without giving to the Amrut Mahal Cattle.		Amrut Mahal Department sale for a much shorter period and subject to the grazing of the Amrut Mahal Cattle whenever taken. (Daroga called upon to send records).		
1900.	Idahalla	...	620	1893	... 440
	Ramdevarahalla	...	830	...	... 340
	Segegudda	...	900	...	...1,386
			2,350		2,166

minus working expenses which will come out eventually—see para 10 of Government review of Forest Report 1895-96.

sent to-day to the General Secretary), and the grazing fees realised in th Hassan District Forests. Compare with the re alisations made in the Tarikere taluk over vas areas of 5 tracts, 17,685 acres—Rs. 104/- an compare with what the grazing proceeds of th If returns of the grazing proceeds and revenue o each kaval resigned by this department in favor o the Revenue or Forest Departments and of th District and State Forests under the "Parcellaire" system so admired of th Madras Presidency; under "Hulbanni" and under "Permits" be called and a com parison instituted, the comparative smallness to which this may dwindle to, fron the lakhs allowed to find their way into the pockets of the Amrut Mahal Servegar according to Mr. Pigot's statement, in one of his D. O.s on the file, may, I fairly presume, be further startling; and in connection with this it must also be borne ir mind that the "Terige" grazing has an ancient origin and is confined to the out skirting generally upland portions of the kaval where the grass is not so good as in the interior, reserved, for the Amrut Mahal Cattle and which latter area is proportionately very large; and that the "Terige" grazing fee has been settled in old times and remains the same in most cases and that this privilege or concession to graze, as you called it in the recent order to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur, and in your notes, is a matter which the Servegar or this Department could not arbitrarily ignore and which has hitherto been justly respected by Government, although it must be conceded that the Amrut Mahal has or is supposed to have reserved to itself the use of this portion of grass also for Government cattle, when needed; and it may amount to breach of faith to arbitrarily interfere with this privilege and give preference to the best paying man in the shape of these grazing fees whether he is of the village or an outsider and the crisis reported recently by the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur, must have occurred from the contemplated change in this matter. It must also be noted that the Servegar, properly speaking, is not entitled to this revenue which (after giving him some margin, I think, in former days) were and are credited to Government. There has been laxity and confusion of late in this, owing chiefly to the conflicting interests and interference of other Departments, and to the curtailments of kavals and many revised allotments of the same to the Servegars, and I had proposed if left free in the management of these kavals to revise it on a satisfactory basis and better this revenue by closer supervision as you would see in the last year's budget remarks. I have no objection to the Servegar being compensated for in money for the loss of some fair margin he was entitled to for managing the business, although I would wish it under circumstances detailed below this not being attempted but being left to the customary mode. From what has been stated above, it would be evident that the Servegar is recognised by the rules of this Departement to benefit fully in the grazing sale proceeds of the stubble grass only, after the Amrut Mahal cattle quit the pastures to share in the benefit of the early grass in the Coorg side and Ubrani side-jungles. These sales or disposal by the Servegar is for one month only and is generally in June or July. He must be left to exercise this privilege so long as he is allowed to keep his private cattle in our kavals. The Terige and Kuddii Sagu grass disposals must remain with the Departement so long as it exists, to enable it to get rid of the surplus grazing as promptly as possible and to the best advantage of itself and the adjoining villages. The Servegar is not allowed the proceeds of the stubble grass in what are termed "Reserve kavals" which are reserved in the hands of the Daroga at the rate of one or two in the kavals assigned to each herd. Thus the Servegar's perquisites are limited and bear no comparison to the exaggerated ideas entertained of the same, but if a commensurate money payment is to take its place a value should be put also on the indirect advantages which he loses in the bargain and it may not be easy to determine the same and the cost may be prohibitive. I should certainly prefer dealing with paid men and advocate the step if Government could see its way to instituting the same without impairing the efficiency and attraction to the work, but as already remarked I am hopeless of this. There could be no valid objection to give the Amrut Mahal also the letting out of the

1893-94	...	...	969
94-95	...	...	6,806
95-96	...	...	3,669

Forest Department itself.

94-95	...	..	2,426
95-96	...	...	2,342

grass when it is proposed only to divert this channel from this Department to another, *viz.*, the Forest or the Revenue Department, and its subordinates of a similar rank, will exercise the privileges of the Servegar, and there is every reason to predict that they will prove worse and act injuriously both towards Government and village cattle. They will often happen to be of a lower level and will have stronger temptations and better means of purloining and oppressing as they have no interest of their own in the cattle and may act independently of the villagers' aid for their legitimate work and they have very little at stake. The Servegar is differently situated.

4th. You observe that apart from the above it is also necessary to consider how the other interests of Government in the shape of forest growth, which, in some of the kavals is considerable, can least be safeguarded and you conclude that preference be given to the Forest Department and the Amrut Mahal Kavals be left to the Forest Department to be worked on systematically on scientific principles and it should have absolute control of the kavals including the collection of all revenue and the letting out of the surplus grazing, subject only to the right of Amrut Mahal Cattle to depasture, its herds having the choice of all available grazing for its cattle and reserving the pastures required and also when such prove inadequate, of extending the depasture to leased out portions, the Forest Department providing for the cancelment of the lease at any time they are required for the Amrut Mahal herds, and to the Amrut Mahal getting credit of the grazing receipts at the end of each year minus working expenses. I am constrained to think that you had realised only the difficulty of the Forest Department to properly conserve the kavals and ensure good forest management under dual control and have assumed that the Amrut Mahal Cattle Breeding can get on satisfactorily if pastures under the control of another Department are simply thrown open on the conditions above stated. It may perhaps be so, in theory, but seems to be impracticable. I will confine my remarks here only to forest growth and conservancy of the kavals and depasturing of cattle therein. In the first place if, as I understand, by forest it is thought woody tracts containing valuable timber-yielding trees of reserved kind, there is very little of it, and kavals purely intended for the Amrut Mahal Cattle pasture are not the place for such forest growth and extension. In fact it will be necessary to thin such forests in the vicinity to afford protection to the cattle against beasts of prey. If by forest is meant ordinary tree growth, there is, as remarked, considerable forest growth in kavals pointing out that tree-growth and their preservation has been fostered and cared for by the Department and that it is capable of managing this branch more successfully and to satisfaction under conditions which are required for the Forest Department. I do not know what scientific principles or system not in the grasp of ordinary men to understand and attend to, is involved in the management of ordinary fuel and shrub jungles and all that may be required to make it a greater success in exceptional places would be to get instructions and directions of skilled men when needed and there is nothing to prevent the Forest Department to accomplish this by placing itself in the same position with the Amrut Mahal, as with the Deputy Commissioner. We have got equally, if not superior agency in our kavalgars, &c., who could carry out as in Forest proper, works according to the annual plans and instructions of working.* But the fact that fodder improvements and preservation is the primary concern in kavals and that the benefit of scientific practical knowledge should be brought to bear more in this direction should not be lost sight of. Cattle and pastures on which they subsist must go together and are inseparable for responsible and successful management, and the need and benefit of absolute control over the kavals subject to protection of forest and other interests being carried on with the knowledge and consent and through the Amrut Mahal Department agency as far as practicable applies more forcibly in the case of the Amrut Mahal, which is concerned with live-stocks and whose preservation and management demands constant attention and directions and is an ever fruitful source of anxiety. I infer from the drift

*See para 21 of Forest Annual Report, 1895-96, in which no such attempt is said to have been yet made in Forests proper themselves.

of your notes, you are more for foresting and for the conversion of kavals into forests and of course the Forest Department must rightly be given preference to do this. The Amrut Mahal Department is concerned more with the pastures for the cattle rearing and that Department could not likewise afford to manage the cattle without absolute control of the pasture as above, may also be conceded, so long as it remains an independent Department and the experience had under dual control confirms me the more in this opinion that I should be able to stop all foreign direct interference in kavals.

I do not think it can be proved that the present recognised system of kaval management is injurious to the fodder or forest improvements. Our rule is to graze a certain herd of 300 to 500 head of cattle in each kaval when the grass is best at a particular season ranging on an average over 5 to 60 days according to the season and then move the herd to a fresh kaval, thus giving the pasture the benefit of manure and rest and the cattle a change. Excepting Pass-kavals on the way to the jungle, etc., the kaval is seldom re-visited by our cattle and the village cattle get the benefit of the stubble for one month. There is thus the maximum fodder growth, the over-depasturing and trampling of the ground to the injury of grass and tree-growth is minimised. As the welfare of our cattle of semi-wild habits depending entirely on natural grass, rests entirely upon the weather which is so uncertain and the cattle are affected by the least change therein, this Department has been obliged to secure pastures in distant scattered parts of the country, to provide againt the variation of seasons, climate, physical feature and of nutritious properties of grass. With the object of extending this fear so as to be provided better against bad seasons I have called for statements of resigned Amrut Mahal Kavals remaining unutilised for cultivation or forestry and other pasture tracts available, and if these are secured, the cattle will have a wider range and the kavals more rest. Owing to paucity of hands and demoralisation of a few Kavalgars and Servegars there may be failures in this conservancy but certainly not to the extent permitted by the Forest Department which has failed to cope with the extra work undertaken in our kavals and has wrought more injury than good to the kavals for the ten years they have had them, and have already shown that financially also the kavals will be better off, if left to our sole control. I do not attach much importance to the money control since it matters very little which Department collects, when it is done for the benefit of the State, but I think it would be a good policy to make the Amrut Mahal Department responsible for the kavals and cattle as a whole and give credit to it of all the receipts debiting the expenses similarly.

Some improvement of the establishment is needed for effective management, and that will be separately applied for. Suspense and half and half measures work very injuriously, and I therefore solicit for early orders one way or the other giving a Department sole control of all the concern.

I would also invite attention to the correspondence commencing with General and Revenue Secretary's No. 7342—R. 2869, dated 14th February 1896, regarding the experiment of placing the surplus grazing of Amrut Mahal Kavals at the disposal of the Revenue Department for distribution among the neighbouring villagers and ending with General Progs. No. 3792—1305, dated 12th October 1896, ordering that Nanjedevaragudda may be placed experimentally for one year under the Deputy Commissioner, and calling on the latter to report result at the end of the period. Neither has this report been submitted nor the kaval returned to us although there has been no purchaser at the auction sale held by the Revenue Department for renting the land for cultivation purposes, but on the other hand it has been informally added to the District Forest and the grazing sold up to the highest bidder. The Deputy Commissioner has not replied yet to Amrut Mahal Superintendent's vernacular letter dated 3rd September 1899 and reminder dated 29th July 1900, on this subject. I would also request the favor of perusal of the correspondence anent the transfer of the Yemmedoddi, etc., kavals in Kadur and those of Idahalla, etc., in Hassan and about the thinning of forest in Ramgiri kaval; you will find evidence therein of the cordiality with which the Forest operations were welcome and how the Forest subordi-

nates have been spoliating the wood and fodder and have been misleading their superiors into the belief that the damage sheerly due to their neglect and greed should be shifted to the Amrut Mahal for the sin, as it were, of tempting the Forest Department with the forest and fodder growth in the kavals and of having been duped by the promise of further improvement by management on systematic and scientific principles and how intolerable these indiscriminate interferences and demands on the part of the Forest and Revenue Departments are getting. They have failed to carry out and report the experimental objects ordered by Government. In the present instance of Hassan kavals the Deputy Commissioner and his Forest Officer took not the least trouble to study the conditions on which the Forest Department operations were permitted in these most important kavals although attention was called to them since the past one year and have, in the face of the Conservator's advice to wait, posed themselves as authorities to decree the requirements of a Department of which they have no knowledge whatever and to oust without notice an independent Department from its position and to disturb its arrangements as to the grazing of its cattle occupying the area with village cattle on unrestricted terms for a period unknown to the Amrut Mahal; and even when ordered by Government to cancel the sale, they have not opened their eyes to the gravity of the injury caused to administrative principles and to the Amrut Mahal Cattle but have blindly and dilatorily pressed on the Government the request to allow the sales to stand good as they had been sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner and the purchasers were put in possession and their cancelment would shake the confidence of people in such sales. Now it needs no argument to show how much more the act diminishes the respect, confidence and relations between each Department and the public, and how the prompt correction of a mistake, though perhaps individually injurious, may enhance the confidence, respect, etc., of Government.

I agreed to the sales not being interfered with under the impression that they must extend only to short periods of one or two months as in the Amrut Mahal and for the only expressed reason that the grass must have been already wasted; but I see I was mistaken in this. The sale period extends to eight months which means depriving the three herds to which respectively these three kavals are attached of even the important residue of grazing available at the approach of the hot season if the pastures are given rest from now and the benefit of the North-East Monsoon, and also the other herds which frequent these kavals on their way to and from the Coorg side jungles to which the cattle are annually marched to share the benefit of early rains and grass in those climes. The herds to which the kavals are attached lose half if not more of the annual grazing allotted to each and in this uncertain bad season which has not as yet brought up grass in most kavals in the Tumkur and in several of Mysore, Chitaldrug and Hassan district kavals it is a dilemma, how to manage, to be kindly solved by Government. I have submitted a separate letter through the General Secretary recommending that the Deputy Commissioner may at once be requested to buy back the kavals and cancel the sales.

I must also bring to notice that it is a rule of the Department to demand the exclusion of the village cattle from grazing in the neighbourhood during the short sojourn of our cattle in the kavals to free them from catching contagious diseases and keep the breed as pure as possible and this 8 months' lease would endanger our cattle taken to graze in the portions left by the District authorities at their discretion for the Amrut Mahal Cattle. The Daroga and Servegars report that the grass in these tracts is almost exhausted while only half the number of cattle ordered to the pasture were brought in at intervals from the 16th to the 27th of last month. The remaining half had been detained on the road in other kavals owing to an outbreak of disease and had arrived only a few days back. The Deputy Commissioner may be requested to get reliable inspection of the kaval made at once and report the extent of grazing available for the date of inspection for a strength of 500 head of cattle in each of the kavals in the sold up and Amrut Mahal reserved portions respectively, with a view to form correct ideas of the Daroga's reports and requirements, and the Deputy Commissioner requested also to state the approximate number of cattle Amrut

Mahal and village, which have been depasturing in the respective portions and from what time. The cancelment of the sale may be telegraphed to me as soon as done to enable me to order the herds marching back from the jungle taking this route.

I know there has been degeneracy and laxity in the Amrut Mahal Department owing chiefly to the indiscreet interferences of other Departments and *paucity of proper supervising and checking establishment*, and I cannot effect the contemplated improvements if my hands are weakened by such high handed procedure as those already committed and proposed. Should my representations and request to ensure sole control over pasture and cattle subject to safeguarding the legitimate interests of other Departments and ryots meet with approbation, I propose immediately reorganizing the establishments and re-distribute the kavals on sounder principles which, I am not without hopes, will by far better the revenue and the benefit of the Department and more than recoup the small additional outlay I have to incur in strengthening the establishment and experimenting other improvements in kaval conservancy and management generally.

Our Head-Quarter establishment consists of one Head Clerk, who, under your orders, is also the Head Clerk of the Military Office, which takes up no small amount of his time.

One accountant and two munshis, who have also to camp out for several months with the Superintendent and myself. The Daroga establishment is only six on poor pay and their ranges extend over seven districts and the Coorg jungles. The kavals are so many and widely scattered in distant places that these ill-paid men are over-tasked and get perfunctory. The kavals and cattle must be constantly supervised and I will mature and submit my scheme, if permitted the pleasure of doing it, costing in addition not more than what the Government has recently sanctioned for the temporary special establishment for Yemmedoddi, &c., kavals in Kadur, and I also submit that the Amrut Mahal may now be given the turn to experiment the measures for three years. Of course annual reports of each year will be submitted and the continuance may be decided upon the measure of success attained and reported on in each.

There are vast areas available for extension of Forests Proper but it is generally a device on the part of the Forest and Revenue subordinates to get hold of the best kavals, whose fertility is due to the keeping of large herds thereon to sell and appropriate the grass with some benefit to themselves and show improvements to their Departmental revenues at the sacrifice of that of the Amrut Mahal Department.

I have gone to discuss the subject so lengthily that my motives in wishing to get rid of the charge under adverse Government Proceedings, may not be misinterpreted and to have the satisfaction of having done my duty.

The Forests Proper cannot be injured by the time immemorial concessions of grazing in the jungles which are favored with early rains between May and July inclusive as a rule, and I think on the other hand the Forest Department will get rid of inflammatory and choking up grass and are compensated by the fertility resulting from a large area kept on in the jungle. The grazing portions may be marked out into blocks as big as possible to give more roaming ground for minimising the injury to seedlings and used in rotation. The Forest Department will be previously acquainted with the number of Government and Servegars' privileged cattle, which latter may not, according to the recognized custom of the Department, exceed 25 or 30 per cent in all, and which it had once been proposed to brand also for being distinguished.

I will conclude with another remark about the alleged sandal destruction in the kavals.

Under rules regarding the State Forests rights in the occupancy of other persons and on inam lands and public places, sandalwood on all lands excepting those on inam lands, the holders of which are specially entitled to the sandal revenue, is the property of the State and there is nothing to prevent the Forest Department from exercising the same in the kavals as in other occupied lands.

In fact all the wood in the kavals and other Government lands was placed under their protection since 1882 and any spoliation thereof is justly attributable to their connivance and neglect. Our men are not authorised to fell any tree but for the very small requirements of the Department and its men and they are not to sell but the dry fuel left in places in which pens, etc., have been temporarily erected in the kavals. I see from para 5 of the Forest Annual Report, 1895-96, that the enumeration of sandal trees was set on foot in all districts and quarterly progress reports prescribed. Why not refer to this list as to the number of sandal trees in kavals? and why not prosecute even our establishment if at fault for breaches of Forest Rules? We do not want to screen the offenders. I may observe that it is the want by us of the powers exercised by the Forest Department over the forests that have impaired our management of the wood and it is for this reason I think Colonel Macintire sought the Forest Department conservancy in Yemmedoddi and later on suggested that instead of calling them State Forests they had better be styled State Amrut Mahal.

APPENDICES.

A. Para 28 of Forest Administration Report, 1895-96.

Regulation of Grazing and Protection from Cattle.

28. Grazing was disposed of either under hulbanni (auction) or permit system, but generally under the latter, as the number of cattle may thus be restricted and injury to forest by over-grazing obviated. There is a tendency to revert to the hulbanni system owing to paucity of reliable supervision and irregularities on the part of watching establishment in allowing unlicensed cattle to graze; but this state of things will, it is hoped, gradually be mended. The restrictions against grazing in the State Forests during the non-fire season have hitherto been all but nominal even in areas supposed to be closed for re-production, in which they will have to be rigidly enforced in future if adequate results are to be secured, whilst a liberal policy may be adopted in open areas with great benefit to the people and the finances of the Department.

B. Government Order No. 1048-58-33, dated 4th May 1882, (extract from Forest Manual, Part II, Section (64).

Order—The security to be taken from the officials in the Forest Department above the grade of peons and watchers is in accordance with previous custom fixed at the amount of one year's pay of the official concerned in money or twice that value in land and other immovable property. The Rangers and Sandal Darogas and Mutsaddis ought generally to be able to furnish the security at once. But there will be difficulty in giving immediate effect to the measure in the case of the Foresters, who have hard work and small pay and whose offices are not much sought after. Where they are unable to furnish the whole or any portion of the amount of security prescribed at once, they may be allowed to make it good by a deduction of one-fourth of their monthly salary.

C. Para 5 of Forest Administration Report, 1895-96.

5. *Special Measures.*—The enumeration of sandal trees was set on foot in all the districts in accordance with Government orders and the submission of quarterly progress reports prescribed.

(5) NOTE BY THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
Dated 16th October 1900.

I forward, as requested in General Secretary's No. 2368—Ft. F. 25-98, dated the 13th ultimo, my opinion on the proposals for the future management of the Amrut Mahal Kavals, contained in the Officiating Dewan's Minute of the 1st September. I regret the delay in replying. It occurred to me that the Dewan might wish to note the views of local Forest Officers who have been longer in the country than I have. I therefore forwarded to three Officers,

without comment and without indication of authorship, copy of the first two clauses of para 4 of the Officiating Dewan's Note. Of the replies, that of Mr. Bapu Rao, who has much experience in this matter but who, like myself, is perhaps somewhat prejudiced against the customs of the Amrut Mahal Department, is *awaited. But I beg to submit copies of Notes by Mr. Appaiya (to whose remarks I would invite particular attention) and by Mr. H. Srinivasa Rao. The latter is a graduate of the Agricultural College, Madras, and of the Dehra Forest School, and is, I understand, mainly responsible for the information given in the book "Notes on Mysore Cattle."

* It has since reached me, and a copy is appended.

2. I think that the scheme outlined by the Officiating Dewan gives promise of a great improvement especially as concerns the regulation of or compensation for "perquisites." But I venture, with reference to the essential part of the scheme (*viz.*, that noted in para 4 of the Officiating Dewan's Minute) to draw attention to what I fear will prove grave difficulties in the practical application of the scheme. *First*, if it be not possible to define or delimit the area in which the Government cattle are to be pastured, will it not be extremely difficult or impossible for the Forest Department to refrain from admitting "outside" cattle to that area,—I speak of involuntary action—difficult to reserve the area exclusively for Amrut Mahal cattle? *Secondly*, if the reserved area is not exactly known, the superfluous grazing area must, I suggest, also be to some extent an unknown quantity. It will also be a variable quantity, not merely from year to year but also, occasionally, within one year. One effect of the superfluous area being indeterminate would be, I suggest, that, if leased, the lessee could not be expected to pay for the real value of the fodder. But, as I understand, the grazing revenue, if important, is not of first importance, and therefore I would not advance lessened revenue as a serious drawback if I believed there were no others. What I apprehend will give rise to grave difficulty is the indeterminate nature of the individual areas to be grazed over under differing managements and for different purposes. As the areas in many cases will adjoin, "trespass" must, I suggest, ensue on either side unless limits are defined. I may perhaps point out that every up-to-date system of pasturage pre-supposes (*a*) the fixing of limits, (*b*) the ascertainment of the acreage and (*c*) the admission to the whole area, or to part by a rotation of blocks, &c., of a head of cattle proportionate to the quantity and quality of the fodder available. The question of fees chargeable, if any, is quite distinct. In Madras and elsewhere where the Forest Department undertakes the management of pasture lands on a great scale, the conditions (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) are *aimed* at, though, as will be seen from papers forwarded by me to Government, just at present certain desirable objects cannot be attained. But I think I am correct in saying that throughout India limits and area are at least determined, and that the management of any one area is entirely controlled by one agency.

3. I ask reference to Mr. Appaiya's remarks as to what is likely to be "superfluous" area from year to year. The Amrut Mahal Department will determine what pasturage is to be "superfluous." But under the present system, this determination must, I think, be effected by very minor officials of the Amrut Mahal Department. The truth of much of what Mr. Appaiya says has been borne in upon me by studying this question, not merely from papers but by inspection and enquiry in many Amrut Mahal Kavals. Settlement of the perquisite question *combined with an adequate control* (even if the control were divided between two Departments) would, I believe, go far to secure good management on the lines suggested by the Dewan. But as regards control, I beg to point out that it is, and must in any case remain for some years, of a very inferior kind. The petty subordinates of the Forest Department are probably no better than petty servants of the Amrut Mahal Department. The superior subordinates, our trained Rangers for instance, including Mr. Srinivasa Rao, whose note is appended, are, I hope, and believe far better. At least we are constantly aiming at improvement in all respects. But I suggest that, for years to come, the major part of the local control must vest in

the guards and low paid kavalgars, &c. If this be once admitted, how important becomes the question of divided control the result of which is, to use Mr. Appaiya's words, "that the subordinates of the one Department try to overreach the other Department and benefit themselves immensely at the expense of the Government." I submit that, however the question of perquisites may be regulated by order, the possibility of reaping perquisites must ever be present. True, the Amrut Mahal Department considers that the Forest Department has much exaggerated the value of these present or potential perquisites. I may perhaps point out that the greater the value of the perquisites, the more eager, very naturally, will be the Amrut Mahal subordinates to minimise them. In Hassan, for relinquished Amrut Mahal Department land, (land, I admit, much above the average in quality) the Forest Department obtains, I think, Re. 1 per acre for grass alone, or at least a rate of about the land revenue assessment for land of that class. In order to maintain herds capable of producing annually 200 good steers, the Amrut Mahal Department has, (excluding pasturage in Coorg) it seems, 646 square miles, containing some of the finest pasturage in India. Taking the total of cattle at 9,500 head, this allows some 43 acres per head. Lord Northcote's very recent Guzerat cattle-breeding scheme allows 2,000 acres of good land for 1,000 cattle. It would be out of my province to discuss the proportion of the total herd to the demand for steers. But what may I think fairly be advanced is that, in normal years, there is *probably* a very large and very valuable surplus of fodder available over and above the requirements of the Amrut Mahal Government cattle. Assuming that surplus to be one-half, an average grazing rate on the surplus as low as 2 annas per acre would give nearly Rs. 26,000. In Hassan, where the pasturage is especially valuable, the District Forest Officer has estimated the value of the Amrut Mahal fodder on 101,726 acres at about Rs. 50,000. This on account of grazing alone apart from other sources of profit.

4. From Major Jones' opinion, which has been sent to me, I note that he is in favor of undivided control and urges that either his Department or mine should be solely responsible for the operations now conducted by his Department. In considering, as carefully as possible, the Dewan's Minute I have endeavoured to banish from my mind all pre-conceived notions and possible prejudices. I find myself constrained to agree with Major Jones; and venture to urge, as strongly as I can, that until at least his Department can be improved in the manner foreshadowed in the Dewan's Note and in the ways he himself has suggested, the Forest Department should not in any way interfere in the management of any lands wholly or partially required for Amrut Mahal cattle. The revenue derivable from the kavals is admittedly of secondary interest. I must not go into the question of safeguarding the breed of Amrut Mahal cattle. There remains the question of the conservancy of the tree growth. Major Jones believes that I have considerably over-estimated the damage under this head. Upon what grounds he formed that opinion and whether he or I is best qualified to speak on this point I cannot say. A noteworthy fact, if I rightly understand his and the Superintendent's notes, is that the Amrut Mahal Department consider that it can conserve the kavals as well as, if not better than, the Forest Department. In truth forest conservancy should not be very difficult if certain simple improvements, which the Forest Department at least is endeavouring to achieve elsewhere, are introduced. I have inspected many of the Amrut Mahal Kavals. Without wishing to put forward my professional knowledge, I think anybody at all qualified to speak can very easily satisfy himself that there is and has been much damage and in some cases absolute destruction of tree growth. No doubt certain kavals are, from their remote position or otherwise, fairly well preserved. On the other hand, I have seen a few where all the trees had been hacked and burned until only stumps remained. With the trees, the grass and the water-supplies went too, and the areas were practically abandoned as grazing lands. Between these extremes, there are many intermediate cases of damage. Anything else would be physically impossible until tree-lopping and grass-firing be prevented or at least regulated. But Major Jones proposes to suppress fire and to better the establishment. Then,

as to legal sanction for improved kaval management, the proposed Forest Regulation (*vide* Section 35, especially 35 (iii)) affords an admirable means of placing the kavals under proper management and of enabling the Amrut Mahal officials to safeguard them. Revenue apart, if the Amrut Mahal officials enforce a few simple rules regulating tree-cutting and grass-firing, it will effect, with the aid of the new Regulation, almost all that the Forest Department could hope to secure. For the foregoing reasons, I venture to hope that the Dewan, on reconsideration, may be pleased to leave the kavals under the exclusive control of the Amrut Mahal Department, until at least the staff of both Departments has been improved.

5. I would, however, beg to record what, in my opinion, should be done provided always:

(i) the unique system of perquisites were regulatad,
(ii) the staffs of both Departments were improved.

In these conditions it would be simple and easy to merge the Amrut Mahal in the Forest Department. The best of the kaval areas would be set apart for the Government cattle, and a small special staff of men like Mr. Srinivasa Rao (trained Foresters who have passed a veterinary test) would supervise the movements of the herds, breeding, sales, &c. Moreover, if in any year, fodder were scanty, there would be the State Forests to fall back upon. Amrut Mahal cattle would have the first claim to pasturage in the State Forests, and this reserve would permit of ordinary surplus Amrut Mahal Kavals being delimitated and let out to "outside" cattle for an entire year. The uncertainty at present attending "surplus Amrut Mahal Kavals" would to a large extent disappear.

6. Before concluding there are two points, very relevant, I think, to the issues raised in the Dewan's note, regarding which I may perhaps offer a few remarks. The first regards the area actually required for herds sufficiently strong to furnish, under careful management, 200 first class steers annually. I touched on this question in para 3 above. I have been unable to find that any exhaustive enquiry on this point has been made. I attach to this note a table of Amrut Mahal Statistics from 1882 onwards. On the assumption that the total herd required to give *400* good steers up to 1887-88 was of correct average strength, the herds after 1887-88 required to produce *200* steers appear to have been much over strength. I do not guarantee the statistics or profess to write on this subject with any authority; but I suggest that the statistics, both as to cattle and otherwise, are noteworthy. Possibly too the minimum strength of the herd required to give 200 good bulls has not yet been thoroughly gone into. My point is that if the herds are unduly strong and can be materially reduced, the minimum extent of grazing really required for Government cattle in an average year would be correspondingly lessened.

7. My second point concerns the "perquisites," not as regards the servegars' privilege of keeping herds but the more valuable perquisites derived from grazing outside cattle on payment, &c. These latter perquisites appear to have been of late formally or semi-officially recognised in a way not done a few years ago. In former years, when the Forest Department assumed the management of certain Amrut Mahal Kavals, there was no question of perquisites, but the right of grazing Government cattle was alone stipulated for. The records of the Amrut Mahal Department will show whether or not my information is correct, namely, that Colonels Hay and Macintire treated perquisites as irregularities and punished subordinates who took perquisites, whenever facts were reported. I may invite a reference to Amrut Mahal Department reports noted in the margin. Certain projects of reform do not appear to have been gone on with. The working of the *terige* system and the connected question of perquisites may perhaps be gauged to some extent by the *terige* revenue credited to Government by the Amrut Mahal Department. The attached statement indicates how the realisations, credited to Government, have almost continuously declined. If Colonel Walker and I are right, the possibility of the Forest Department efficiently managing kaval lands practically hinges on the

1883-84 paras 19-20.
1887-88 para 29.
1891-92 paras 27 and 31.
1893-94 para 19.

perquisite question. In that, or in any case, it seems desirable to ascertain how far the perquisites can from any stand point be regarded as legitimate.

Rough statement of Amrut Mahal Department Statistics from 1st January 1882 to 1898-99.

Year.	Receipts.					Expenditure.	Surplus.	Deficit.	Number of cattle.	Births.	Casualties.	Sales.	Remarks.
	Cattle sales.	Kavai terigs.	Minor Forest produce including tangadi.	Miscellaneous.	Total.								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.					
1st January 1882 to March 1883.	44,235	...	...	...	44,235	28,822	15,413	...	15,460	2,958	1,477	1,390	
1883-84 ...	33,396	7,050	...	2,115	42,561	32,033	10,528	..	15,806	3,236	731	941	
1884-85 ...	...	...	...	...	51,976	31,694	20,282	...	16,822	2,665	1,373	1,151	
1885-86 ...	...	...	...	...	52,073	35,895	16,178	...	15,880	1,519	1,987	1,386	
1886-87 ...	69,826	10,602	...	2,952	83,380	34,969	48,409	...	14,957	2,500	765	2,521	
1887-88 ...	48,364	11,275	2,035	4,668	66,342	29,642	36,700	...	13,650	1,982	1,448	2,352	
1888-89 ...	29,733	9,493	3,341	1,494	44,061	31,751	12,310	...	11,567	1,716	1,044	1,210	
1889-90 ...	24,525	6,729	3,174	2,089	36,517	27,567	8,950	...	10,984	1,670	743	827	
1890-91 ...	18,610	6,176	4,539	11,364	30,689	27,934	2,755	...	11,057	1,640	813	669	
1891-92 ...	22,733	5,451	4,834	2,277	35,295	32,067	3,228	...	10,803	1,228	1,391	541	
1892-93 ...	23,271	5,574	3,950	1,026	33,821	27,757	5,564	...	9,855	1,002	547	575	
1893-94 ...	28,233	6,943	2,083	1,348	38,637	26,141	12,496	...	10,803	2,074	404	719	
1894-95 ...	14,258	5,816	390	1,626	22,090	27,735	...	5,645	11,238	1,553	1,129	355	
1895-96 ...	...	...	...	...	28,196	28,368	...	172	...	..	...	...	
1896-97 ...	14,199	2,007	...	758	16,965	30,000	...	13,035	...	1,533	956	281	
1897-98 ...	11,815	332	...	797	12,944	28,530	...	15,586	8,985	1,526	779	254	
1898-99 ...	21,073	957	...	1,194	23,224	34,190	...	10,966	9,474	1,546	947	492	

NOTES—

(1) The Amrut Mahal cattle which had been under the management of the Madras Government were purchased by the Mysore Government, whose management commenced from 1st January 1882. 12,502 cattle purchased for Rs. 2,25,000.

(2) The original agreement with the Madras Government was that they would purchase 400 bulls yearly at Rs. 50 per head. From 1887-88 the number was reduced to 300 steers.

(3) 240 kavals with an area of 710 square miles 420 acres appear to have been originally assigned for Amrut Mahal cattle. In 1890-91 it was 651 square miles and 75 acres. Since it has been further reduced to 646 square miles and 99 acres. These figures are, however, only approximate.

(4) Approximate area of kavals, Districtwar (as it now stands) :—

	Acres.
Mysore district ...	13,086
Hassan do ...	101,726
Chitaldrug do ...	104,666
Bangalore do ...	1,881
Tumkur do ...	81,467
Kadur do ...	93,557
Shimoga do ...	11,156
Total ...	413,539 or 646 Sq. m. acres. 99

8. The notes in this case of Major Jones and of the Amrut Mahal Superintendent have been forwarded to me. They appear to contain contentious matter, and I understand I am not required to go into them. I merely beg to express the opinion that these officers appear, when they treat of forest questions, to labour under misapprehensions as to the aims and objects of forestry. Nor can I admit that the statistics and inferences in forest matters recorded by the

Amrut Mahal Superintendent are correct. The Forest Department is, I know, open in various respects to adverse criticism. But it is at least trying to move forward on modern and scientific lines; and does not cling to the past, merely because in old times and under widely different conditions successful results were obtained.

9. I was requested to give my opinion on the Dewan's Minute; and I beg to be excused if I am out of order in going a little beyond the reference, as the Amrut Mahal Department Officers appear to have done. I have endeavoured, however, to restrict my note to matters relevant to the Dewan's Minute.

ENCLOSURE (i) TO No. (5).

Letter dated 11th October 1900, from Mr. C. Appaiya, District Forest Officer, Hassan.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt (on the 27th ultimo) of your D. O., dated the 21st idem, enclosing an extract from a Note containing proposals for the future management of Amrut Mahal Department Kavals and asking for my opinion as to how the proposals, if given effect to, would work.

I beg to state that any system of dual control over grass or any other forest produce by two such Departments as the Forest and the Amrut Mahal, will be found unworkable in practice, and control by one Department over some of the products in a given area and by another over the others in the same tract will be found equally impracticable. All Amrut Mahal Kavals should either be under the sole management of the Forest Department or the Amrut Mahal Department. The result of dual control under such circumstances is that the subordinates of the one Department try to overreach the other Department and benefit themselves immensely at the expense of the Government. The Amrut Mahal Department may be allowed to retain entire control over all the kavals which may be thought necessary for the up-keep of the Department, with some simple rules for the conservancy and improvement of the forest growth in the kavals. This alternative is simple and will obviate all complaints and objections on the part of the Amrut Mahal Department, but the system won't work as well and efficiently in the interests of Government as the other alternative of working them completely by the Forest Department with requisite provision for meeting the demands of the Amrut Mahal cattle in the shape of grass and other fodder such as jali, naibela, &c., pods.

Under the latter alternative the only provision in favor of the Amrut Mahal Department required to be made is that, in each of the kavals placed under the control of the Forest Department, grazing for the usual number of cattle during fixed period or periods should be made available together with grazing for the prescribed number of cattle permitted to be grazed in the kavals by each servegar and kavalgar, unless intimation of any extraordinary demand for grazing is given by the Amrut Mahal Department, in which case the Forest Department should try and meet the demand by prohibiting grazing in the kavals required and even throwing open, if necessary, the State forests for the use of the Amrut Mahal cattle. There will be no insuperable difficulty in meeting such sudden and unforeseen demands, as the servegars, kavalgars and villagers in the neighbourhood have separate areas allotted to them and there will be no difficulty in buying back the pasture available from lessees appointed by the Forest Department by refunding proportionate lease amount and making the grazing available for Government cattle. In the case of each kaval there is a certain season during which certain serves are grazed therein, and so arrangements can easily be made to reserve the grass in the kavals sufficiently in advance to secure the finest crop of grass for the Amrut Mahal herds. Both prior to and after the Amrut Mahal herds graze in the kavals, the superfluous grass is sold periodically which may be done by the Forest Department with great advantage to the Government.

To leave the choice of grazing for its cattle to the Amrut Mahal Department will mean that there will be no area or excess grazing available for dis-

posal otherwise and even if there should be any such areas, the obtaining of the consent of the Amrut Mahal Department will be a hopeless task for their lease by the Forest Department as it is the minor officials that have to recommend the retention for the use of the Government cattle or disposal otherwise of the kavals, and they will always be against allowing any area or superfluous grazing being sold by the Forest Department, since all their large and illegal perquisities are obtained by the maintenance by the Amrut Mahal Department of these superfluous kavals. And again, the Amrut Mahal Department should have no sort of claim for any revenue derived from the sale of superfluous grazing. Just as the revenue from timber or any other forest produce from Amrut Mahal Kavals is credited to the Forest Department, the revenue from grass also should be credited to the Forest Department. It is only for the use of the Amrut Mahal cattle that the grazing has been given to that Department and not for showing any revenue from that source. It is on account of the large revenue that is derivable from the superfluous grazing from the kavals, that the subordinates are so unwilling that the kavals should be under the management of any other Department.

To sum up, the Amrut Mahal Department should not have the choice of grazing and need not be consulted for the leasing out of superfluous grazing and also should have no claim for any realizations from the disposal of surplus grazing. If the kavals cannot be worked through the Forest Department on the above conditions, it is much better to leave the management of the kavals in the hands of the Amrut Mahal Department itself, making suitable provision for the protection and improvement of tree-growth. The claim of the Amrut Mahal Department for the revenue from grazing not required for its cattle will be something analogous to and anamolous like the claim of the Revenue Department to the sale proceeds of trees and grazing on waste lands.

To illustrate that, so long as the choice of grazing for the Amrut Mahal cattle and the necessity of obtaining the consent of that Department for the sale of any superfluous grazing, are made conditions of management of these kavals by the Forest Department, the scheme will be unworkable, it is only necessary to note here that though the current year has had very good rainfall and in some places excessive, and the growth of grass is very good everywhere, and especially in the Amrut Mahal Kavals, according to the testimony of Amrut Mahal subordinates themselves, it is being contended that grazing for Amrut Mahal herds is insufficient in the Amrut Mahal Kavals and endeavour is being made to get the sales of the grass in some of the State Forests of this district, (where Amrut Mahal cattle hardly ever used to graze and in which only village and Amrut Mahal subordinates' cattle used to graze and they have been grazing this year also) on the ground that they formed portions of Amrut Mahal Kavals some years back.

ENCLOSURE (ii) TO No. (5).

Letter, dated 5th October 1900, from Mr. H. Sreenivasa Rao, Sub-Assistant Conservator, Gundlepet.

Your kind D. O. to hand on the 24th of last month. I read the extract of proposals for the future management of Amrut Mahal Kavals and thought over the final suggestions contained in the last para of it. The Amrut Mahal Department, especially its subordinate staff of servegars, should naturally resent at the idea of investing the Forest Department with the sole management of leasing out the superfluous grazing and collecting money. There are two reasons—which arouse such a feeling, namely,—(1) The Amrut Mahal cattle would only nominally graze in most of the kavals for a few days (generally from about 10 to 15 days) in a year so that the grass they consumed would be only a small percentage of the total pasturage available. The main portion of the year's grazing in the kavals after the Government cattle left them was in each year, being sold generally by the servegars, who gave it to any of the village people and for what they liked. The interest of Government received little or no attention in their hands. I was informed of this by many men during my inspection of the Amrut Mahal Kavals and herds while making

investigations in connection with the book called "Notes on Mysore Cattle," and I believe it to be true although I am not personally acquainted with any particular case. If the Forest Department controls all leasing of pasturage the servegars will lose all liberty of action in this respect.

2ndly. By systematised leasing of superfluous pasturage I believe the Forest Department shall be able to show a larger amount of revenue under head "grazing" than what the Amrut Mahal Department was bringing to account This, in my opinion, is equal to pointing out a defect in the management of tha Department.

II. For these two reasons we can naturally expect some ill-feeling, and I would not wonder even if obstacles are thrown by the subordinate staff of Amrut Mahal people in the way of successful working of the Forest Department especially as the previous consent of the former Department is necessary in cases where the Forest Department can dispose of the superfluous grazing.

III. In the proposals for the future management nothing is mentioned about the wood which the Amrut Mahal Department requires for putting up temporary sheds and for cattle pens, &c. I believe they want some wood or bamboos; if no restrictions are placed in the way of their obtaining it, the cutting will be indiscreet and even wasteful, which will interfere with proper forest conservancy and sandal reproduction works.

IV. The revenue from grazing will go to Amrut Mahal Department after deducting costs of collection. In case the revenue from minor forest products timber, bamboos and firewood have also to be given over similarly to that Department, I beg to suggest the forest will be merely burdened with the costs of establishment and supervision required for the management of these kavals and for their improvement.

ENCLOSURE (iii) TO No. (5).

Letter dated 11th October 1900, from Mr. S. A. Bapu Rao, District Forest Officer, Shimoga.

In reply to your D. O, letter, dated the 21st ultimo enclosing extract from a note containing proposals for the future management of the Amrut Mahal Kavals I beg to submit that in this question there are three factors to be considered which in the order of their importance appear to be—

(i) The well-being of Amrut Mahal cattle,

(ii) The forest interests involved in the arborescent growth present in most kavals, and

(iii) The revenue derivable by the right utilization of grass in the superfluous portions of the kavals.

No one would deny the paramount importance of the claim which the Amrut Mahal cattle have on the pastures available. But that Deparment should, at the same time, be prepared to admit that the aggregate extent of upwards of *four hundred thousand* acres of kavals are far beyond the legitimate requirements of about *ten thousand* head of cattle they have to maintain, considering that the kavals comprise all the best available pasture lands of the Province and that the appropriation of such a large extent of land for this purpose was made under conditions which no more exist, that other interests as important as their own have since sprang up to which they must in right complaisancy make room, and that their own management of superfluous pastures is anything but satisfactory owing to their inadequate controlling and executive staff. I would also add that the customs and usages prevailing in the Amrut Mahal Department are too antiquated to bear modern scrutiny and criticism and urgently call for reform. This too is attributable to the insufficiency and inefficiency of the subordinate staff.

As regards the claim of the Amrut Mahal Department on the kaval pastures premised as No. 1 in the 1st para of this memo, it is needless that I should emphasise the clause "that the Amrut Mahal Department should have the choice of all available grazing for its cattle." But I beg respectfully to differ in "that it is not possible to define or delimit the area in which the cattle are customarily pastured. Why should it be impossible if the officials of that Department are

inclined to come to a right understanding? The best available grazing may be selected and set apart and sufficient extent may be allotted making a liberal allowance for each head of Government cattle to be depastured, having regard also to the different seasons of the year. But during seasons of scarcity of fodder, the whole of the area of what are at present Amrut Mahal Kavals may be reserved entirely for Government cattle at the commencement of the season or if already leased out it may be made available as leases of pasture will be granted "subject to the express condition that if the same is at any time required for Amrut Mahal herds, the unexpired term of leases should be cancelled on refund of the proportionate amount of rent." Nay more: if even this area of four hundred thousand acres would not suffice for ten thousand head of cattle, even State Forests will be thrown open to them as was done this year.

The clause (in the note enclosed in your letter) "that the portions of the kavals which may be leased out to others should be settled *only after* previous consultation with that Department" is in my opinion the most objectionable of all; for it tends to defeat entirely the object of the note, and leaves the matter where it at present is, if the consultation is to be made every year. In the first instance the Amrut Mahal Officer may urge inability to foresee the vicissitudes of the season early enough to admit of the sale of superfluous pasture and secondly his subordinate officials, who must be referred to by him, would throw obstacles against his arriving at a right conclusion in that behalf for manifest reasons. It is therefore necessary, and I believe it is quite possible, to arrive once for all at a definite understanding as to the pastures or portions of pastures which will be held sacred entirely to Government cattle and those which may be required for them in exceptional years only. It must not be forgotten that such a settlement has been made by former Amrut Mahal Officers as evidenced by a large number of kavals, classed as "Reserve kavals." But this settlement now requires revision, it having been effected when the live-stock of the Department was much larger in number and when probably the increment of that number was under contemplation.

The remaining portion of the note taken by itself invests the Forest Department with absolute power in the disposal of the superfluous pasture which would indeed secure the other two objects, I have mentioned in the beginning of this memo, namely the forest interests involved in the tree-growth of the kavals and the revenue derivable from the superfluous pastures. I am indifferent however as to which Department the said revenue is credited since it would anyhow find its way into the Treasury instead of into clandestine channels as at present.

In conclusion I venture to submit that even if the few defects I have pointed out in the note under reference, be remedied, it is after all an indifferent solution of the question as surmised in the note itself. "It is" I repeat "not very easy to suggest a course that should satisfy the reasonable requirements of the Amrut Mahal Department and at the same time provide for the efficient protection of the forest growth." But one solution however seems to me to be better than that proposed in the note, and that is, doing away with the duality of control still intended to be kept up. It is not clear to me why the Amrut Mahal Department should not be controlled by the Officer that controls a Forest Department aided by an assistant who possesses a technical knowledge of the former Department. The present head of the Amrut Mahal Department is an Officer whose other duties do not generally take him to the kavals or the Amrut Mahal herds. But the Conservator of Forests can with very great facility inspect both of them in the discharge of his forest work. The Amrut Mahal Superintendent or Assistant is at present an officer chosen for his general abilities but not for any skill in the technicalities of cattle breeding. If the Amrut Mahal Department be united with the Forest Department, every District Forest Officer with his well paid subordinate staff will be ready at the service of the former Department rendering its management efficient and cheap.

No. 425-34—Ft. F. 25-98, dated Bangalore, 8th January 1901.

Order thereon—The recent discussions regarding the efficient management of Amrut Mahal kavals have brought into prominence the necessity for avoiding dual control as far as possible. Difficulties are represented to exist in the Forest Department taking over the management under existing conditions; and the Amrut Mahal Officer suggests, and the Conservator concurs with him, that, for the present, the Amrut Mahal Department may have the whole charge of the kavals. Under these circumstances, the Government direct, as a tentative measure, and in modification of previous orders, that the control and management of the kavals be left as heretofore exclusively with the Amrut Mahal Department; with this proviso, that it should take steps to ensure the proper conservancy of the kavals and efficient protection of the forest growth therein, including sandalwood, by taking all possible precautionary measures to prevent felling and suppress fires.

2. In this connection, Government observe that the provisions of Section 35 of the new Forest Regulation XI of 1900, (especially clause iii) afford an admirable means of placing the kavals under proper management and enabling Amrut Mahal officials to safeguard them. Government will be glad to consider recommendations from the Amrut Mahal Officer for the extension of the provisions in question from time to time to select kavals.

3. The Amrut Mahal Officer is also requested to submit definite proposals with regard to the regulation, within very strict limits, of the system of "perquisites" to servegars (if that system cannot well be done away with gradually) as well as for regulating the proportion of herdsmen's cattle to be admitted into the kavals and the easy identification of such cattle.

J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Officer in charge, Amrut Mahal Department.
The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Read—

The following letter No. 3323—504 A. C., dated the 5th December 1900, from the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.—

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 329-31—Ft. F. 14-99, dated 23rd ultimo sanctioning the issue of bamboos, &c., (1) free of cost to the poor and; (2) at cost price to the other inhabitants of the Shimoga town to enable them to construct sheds and camp out during the prevalence of plague, I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to inform me whether in the second case, any credit should be afforded to the Forest Department

2. I request the favor of an early reply.

No. 436-8—Ft. F. 14-99, dated Bangalore, 15th January 1901.

Order thereon—In the case of materials supplied at cost price credit will be afforded by the purchasers themselves, who will pay to the District Forest Officer merely the "cost price" of the produce, *i. e.*, cost of cutting, conveyance, &c.

2. Regarding materials supplied to the poor, free of cost, credit for actual cost will be given by the Plague Department to the Forest Department.

J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.
The Plague Commissioner in Mysore.

No. 457—Ft. F. 15-1900, dated Bangalore, 21st January 1901.

Order—The Government are pleased to direct that the following Notification formulating rules for the grant of rewards to informers and others under the Mysore Forest Regulation, XI of 1900, be published in the *Mysore Gazette.*

J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 458—Ft. F. 15-1900, dated Bangalore, 21st January 1901.

Rules for the grant of rewards to informers and others who may render service to Government by detecting or preventing breaches of the Forest Laws.

The following rules framed by Government under Section 76 (*d*) of the Mysore Forest Regulation (1900) are issued for general information and guidance. So much of Notification No. 206, dated 9th October 1889, as concerns the grant of rewards in Forest cases, is hereby cancelled.

1. All non-gazetted officers of Government in the Revenue, Forest, Police and other Departments, as well as persons not in the employ of Government, are eligible for rewards under these rules.

2. In any case in which any person or persons have been convicted of an offence against the Forest Laws and a penalty or confiscation has been imposed or realised, the Deputy Commissioner of the district in which the offence was committed may (upon the recommendation of the Magistrate who convicted the offender or otherwise) grant, in such proportions as he may think fit, to any person or persons who may have contributed to the conviction of the offender or offenders, or to the seizure of the property confiscated, a reward not exceeding the estimated value of the forest produce confiscated, *plus* the estimated value of any other article confiscated in the same case *plus* the amount of any fine imposed therein.

Provided always that the aggregate amount of the rewards thus granted in any one case shall not exceed Rs. 50.

The term "Forest Laws" includes the ordinary Penal Laws of the country when they are utilised in the interests of forest conservancy.

3. If after payment of the reward, the conviction should be reversed in appeal, the amount of the reward shall not be recovered, unless it shall appear that the person or persons rewarded have acted fraudulently.

4. Any Forest Officer, not below the rank of a Forester, may, if prosecuting the case and upon conviction of the offender, apply to the Magistrate to recommend the grant of a reward under Rule 2.

5. In any case in which any person or persons have been convicted of an offence against the Forest Laws but in which no penalty has been imposed or, if imposed, has not been realised; or in which any person has performed any service of special merit in respect of the prevention or detection of any such offence, rewards may be granted by the Deputy Commissioner of the district to an aggregate amount not exceeding Rs. 25.

6. If in any case it is thought desirable to grant rewards in excess of the amount which, under the above rules, may be awarded, the maximum amount admissible may be paid and the matter thereafter be reported for the orders of Government.

7. Deputy Commissioners are empowered to grant special rewards up to Rs. 10 for good service in regard to forest offences not covered by the foregoing rules: provided that no reward shall be given under this rule for services in connection with forest fires.

8. In case the Deputy Commissioner has not at his disposal a fund out of which the reward can be paid, the District Forest Officer shall, on requisition, furnish the necessary funds.

By Order,
J. L PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

No. 459—Ft. F. 15-1900, dated Bangalore, 21st January 1901.

Order—The Government are pleased to direct that the following Notification containing rules regulating the powers and duties of Forest and other officers under the Mysore Forest Regulation, XI of 1900, be published in the *Mysore Gazette* :—

J. L. PIGOT, *Secy. to Govt., Forest. Dept.*

To—The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

Notification.

No. 460—Ft. F. 15-1900, dated Bangalore, 21st January 1901.

Powers of Officers under the Mysore Forest Regulation.

The Government of Mysore are pleased, under Section 76 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, (1900), to regulate as follows the powers or duties of Forest and other officers under that Regulation :

1. The Conservator of Forests, all Deputy Conservators, Assistant Conservators, Sub or Extra-Assistant Conservators (whether probationers or otherwise), and all Forest Rangers, Foresters and Forest Guards (whether in permanent or temporary employment) are appointed to do all acts and exercise all powers that are prescribed by the Regulation, or by any rule made under it, to be done or exercised by a Forest officer or by any Forest officer.

2. The officers mentioned in the first column of the following schedule shall exercise the powers under the Sections of the Regulation mentioned in the second column of the same, over against each such class of officers, respectively :—

Class of officers empowered.	Section of the Regulation under which powers are given.	Brief description of nature of powers conferred.
I All Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners.	53 ...	Power to direct the release of property seized.
II All District Forest Officers within the limits of their respective charges.	15 ...	Power to prefer appeals from orders of a Forest Settlement Officer.
	25 (c) ...	Power to notify seasons and manner during or in which the kindling, &c., of fire is not prohibited in State Forests
	26 (c) ...	Power to permit acts otherwise prohibited in a State Forest.
	39 (2) ...	Power to notify stations for the reception of drift timber, &c.
	40 ...	Power to issue notices to claimants of drift timber.
	1 ...	Power to decide claims to drift timber, &c.
	43 ...	Power to receive payments on account of drift timber, &c.
	53 ...	Power to direct release of property seized.
	59 ...	Power to compound offences.
	65 (1) (a) ...	Power to enter upon, survey, &c., any land.
	65 (1) (b) ...	Powers of a Civil Court to compel the attendance of witnesses, &c.
	65 (1) (d) ..	Power to hold enquiries into forest offences and to receive and record evidence.
	80 (1) & (2) ..	Power to take possession of *and to sell* forest produce for Government dues.
III All Deputy, Assistant, Sub and Extra-Assistant Conservators and Forest Rangers, subordinate to any officer of class II, when specially authorized by the Government in respect of any or all of these powers.	26 (c) ...	Power to permit acts otherwise prohibited in a State Forest.
	53 ...	Power to direct release of property seized, &c.
	59 ...	Power to compound offences.
	65 (1) (a) ...	Power to enter upon, survey, &c., any land.
	65 (1) (b) ...	Powers of a Civil Court to compel the attendance of witnesses.
	65 (1) (d) ...	Power to hold enquiries into forest offences and to receive and record evidence.
IV All Deputy, Assistant, Sub and Extra-Assistant Conservators, Forest Rangers and Forest Guards, whether on the permanent or temporary establishments.	39 (2) ...	Power to collect drift timber.
	45 ...	Power to seize property liable to confiscation.
	48 ..	Power to take charge of Government or confiscated property.
	49 (1) ...	Power to accept charge of property when offender is unknown, &c.
	56 ...	Power to arrest without warrant in certain cases.
	63 ...	Power to seize and impound trespassing cattle.
	80 (1) ...	Power to take possession of produce under the Government lien.
V Every Police officer acting within the territorial limits of his jurisdiction.	45 ...	Power to seize property liable to confiscation.
	56 ...	Power to arrest without warrant in certain cases.

3. The Conservator of Forests is empowered to exercise all or any of the powers conferred in the foregoing schedule.

4. The Conservator of Forests, acting with the consent of the Deputy Commissioner concerned, is authorized, under Section 22 of the Regulation and subject to the provisions thereof, to stop ways or water-courses in State Forests.

By Order,

J. L. PIGOT, *Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.*

READ—

(1) Letter No. 2535—207, dated the 1st February 1900, from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

I have the honor to submit the following report and appended tabular statements regarding the annual sale by auction of sandalwood held at the various kotis during November and December 1899.

2. Sales commenced on the 22nd of November in the Shimoga district at Tirthahalli, where 160 tons and 18 cwts., including 28 tons and 3 cwts. of wood collected in the Kadur district, were offered to buyers. With the exception of 3 cwts., the entire quantity was disposed of for a sum of Rs. 67,521-4-0 or at an average rate of Rs. 420 per ton. On the 27th November the whole stock at Sagar comprising 254½ tons was also sold for Rs. 1,14,146-8-6, the average rate per ton being Rs. 449. The wood at the Shimoga koti was auctioned on the 1st December when the total quantity exposed for sale, or 400 tons, (including 10 tons and 56 lbs. of Kadur wood) was disposed of for Rs. 1,61,182-5-9 or at an average rate of Rs. 403 per ton. This last rate, all things considered, was the lowest realized at any sale. For the whole district, 815½ tons were sold for Rs. 3,42,850 at an average rate of Rs. 421 per ton. Notwithstanding that the rates obtained for the various classes of wood were in most cases considerably in excess of those for 1898, yet the results taken as a whole do not appear to have been in all respects satisfactory. The Shimoga district is, in the matter of sandalwood sales, important not merely by reason of the large quantity annually sold, but because high rates have usually been realised especially at the favorably situated kotis of Sagar and Tirthahalli. At the auction sales of 1898, as will be observed by a reference to this office No. 2750-165 of 21st February 1899, the average rates secured at the three kotis of Shimoga (Rs. 357), of Tirthahalli (Rs. 404) and of Sagar (Rs. 385) compared more favorably with the provincial average (Rs. 370) than was the case at the recent sales. This will be more readily observed from the following comparative statement :—

	Average price per ton.	
	1898.	1899.
	Rs.	Rs.
Shimoga	357	403
Tirthahalli	404	429
Sagar	385	449
Average for district...	376	421
Average for Province	370	439

The results of the sale at the Shimoga koti to which rail communication has been extended, were, in particular, disappointing. Although the reserved prices fixed in accordance with the terms of sale were in all cases at least obtained, yet the rates secured for certain classes, *e. g.*, for roots, were remarkably low relatively to the prices obtained at the immediately preceding and succeeding sales (*vide* appended statement). The koti at Shimoga is unsuitable and purchasers cannot readily view the prepared wood, and it was further reported that fewer buyers attended this sale. The fact that the sales commenced in the Shimoga district probably also tended to lower prices. Nevertheless such reasons cannot, I think, be considered as satisfactorily accounting for the poor rates secured at this koti in recent years. The attention of the District Forest Officer has been drawn to the matter, and it may be hoped that future sales will indicate some improvement. The average results at Sagar and Tirthahalli combined should usually be more favorable than the Provincial averages, while there is no apparent reason why the rates at the Shimoga koti (where the wood is of very good quality) should be markedly less than those at, say, Bangalore.

3. At the Chikmagalur sale, held on the 5th December, practically the entire stock of prepared Government wood, or 170 tons and 17cwts., was sold for Rs. 68,750-8-1. The average rate (Rs. 402) was the lowest for the Province ; and exceeded the rate for 1898 by only one rupee, although the general average for all kotis rose from Rs. 370 to Rs. 439. The work at this koti, too, demands increased care and attention at the hands of the District Forest Officer. Apart from sales on Government account, 11 tons and 4 cwts. of *inam* wood were sold for Rs. 4,762-7-6. The auction sale at Hassan, held on the 8th December was specially satisfactory, and high prices were realised owing to brisk competition and probably to careful superintendence of the sale. In all, 311 tons and 14 cwts. were disposed of for Rs. 1,39,614-15-2. The all-round rate obtained was Rs. 448 per ton, a rate considerably higher than the Provincial average and exceeded only by the average obtained at Hunsur. The quantity sold included 60 tons of wood which had not been advertised in accordance

with the custom of the trade. This proceeding is open to objection and will not recur; but the increased quantity offered did not, in this case, affect prices adversely. The Bangalore sales, held on the 11th of December, resulted in the whole stock of 108 tons and 2 cwts. (including 21 tons of Tumkur and 4 tons of Kolar wood) being disposed of for Rs. 46,877-11-1 or at an average rate of Rs. 434 per ton. In addition five and odd tons of wood pertaining to the Civil and Military Station was auctioned for Rs. 2,153-7-7. The concluding sales at Seringapatam and at Hunsur, held on the 15th and 19th December, respectively, were the most successful of all, a result partly due to the careful supervision of the District Forest Officer, Mr. Narayana Rao, and to his tact in conducting the sales. At Seringapatam 325 tons exposed were sold for Rs. 1,45,481-15-4, or at the mean rate of Rs. 448 per ton; and a small quantity was also auctioned on private account for Rs. 630-6-9. At Hunsur 377 tons and 17 cwts. were disposed of for Rs. 1,81,978-6-4. The average works out at the extraordinarily high figure of Rs. 482 per ton, believed to be the highest obtained at any sale for many years. The total sale for the Mysore district amounted to 702 tons and 17 cwts. for which Rs. 3,27,460-5-8 were obtained, the average being about Rs. 466.

4. Taking the eight kotis together, practically the entire stock of prepared Government wood was disposed of. The total quantity auctioned amounted to 2,108 tons, 11 cwts. and 20 lbs. The gross receipts were Rs. 9,25,553-10-3 and the all-round rate realised per ton was Rs. 439, as compared with rates of Rs. 370 (auction sales only) and Rs. 381 (auction and private sales combined) secured in 1898-99. The budgetary provision for 1899-1900 was for a gross sale of 2,015 tons realising Rs. 7,55,000, a sum Rs. 1,70,500 below the actual receipts. The accompanying tabular statements furnish the usual particulars in regard to quantities and prices.

5. It is gratifying that the sandalwood sales and resulting revenue which had been so depressed in recent years underwent so marked a recovery in 1899. The reasons for this recovery are not altogether apparent, but are mainly connected with an improved demand for oil-yielding wood. While the rates obtained for almost all classes were good, wood employed in distillation, roots, hollows, "ain bagar" and "ain chilta," was in greatest demand. It is doubtful whether the average price obtained for roots has ever been exceeded heretofore. It will be observed from the appended statement that the rate for this class touched Rs. 788 per ton at Hunsur. Another satisfactory feature of the sales was the purchase for distillation abroad of oil-yielding wood of a class hitherto only purchased for distillation in India by a wasteful process. The proportionate quantity of Mysore sandalwood employed in oil-distillation is apparently increasing from year to year and is now estimated to account for three-fourths or more of the total weight annually sold. The China export trade is depressed owing to overstocking in the east and, as is reported by buyers, to imports of cheap and inferior wood from Australia. The oil-distillation industry in Canara, which at one time was of considerable importance, has also greatly declined of late and is unlikely to recover itself. The condition of the oil trade in European and American markets has therefore a most important bearing on the Mysore revenue from the raw produce. No doubt the price of oil has risen considerably since the recent sales of sandalwood. Whether the price will be maintained at a figure which will induce in 1900 and future years rates for wood as high as those recently secured is an open question. But, in my opinion, the favorable sales recently concluded will, with proper management, beneficially affect future sales. As regards the sales of 1899, I may add that the attendance of buyers, both for foreign and home markets, was better than usual. Bidding was brisk, and some of the highest prices were given for wood to be treated for oil in India. Enquiries too indicated that the revised system of classifying the wood, which had been finally applied in all the kotis, suits the convenience of merchants and is generally considered satisfactory.

6. While the notable improvement in the sales of 1899 was no doubt mainly caused by a real enhancement of the trade demand and by rivalry between bidders, a considerable portion of the increased receipts may fairly be otherwise accounted for. During 1899 I studied as far as practicable the state of the oil trade abroad and ascertained that ideas prevailed, as to the conditions upon which wood could be procured from the Mysore Forest Department, which were most adverse to our obtaining good prices These notions I promptly corrected by intimation to the trade both abroad and in India and by instructions to District Forest Officers. Higher reserved prices were fixed; and an endeavour was made to conduct the sales as one connected business operation, a course which would unquestionably be followed were the sandalwood in the kotis the property and the monopoly of a commercial firm. I did not wholly succeed in this and there is still considerable room for improvement. Much depends upon the tact and firmness of the officer conducting the sale, upon his capacity for appreciating the indications afforded by sales which have immediately preceded his own; and upon his ability to detect and disintegrate combination among buyers to force down prices or to secure individual lots by pre-arrangement. There is no doubt that the manner in which these sales are conducted influences in a marked degree the resulting revenue. Possibly a special officer with special capacity for the work should conduct all the sales; and this is a matter which may be further and separately considered if Government so desire.

Statement showing the Rates secured for different descriptions of Sandalwood during the auction sales of 1899-1900 as compared with those of the previous year.

Description of wood	Tirthahalli koti.		Sagar koti.		Shimoga koti.		Chikmagalur koti.	
	1898-99.	1899-1900.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	1898-99.	1899-1900.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Vilayat budh	510	...	.....	571	483	530	500	.....
China budh	500—504	500—502	500	521—524	.....	500	500	526
Panjam	545	532—540	536—537	537—560	490	514—540	505	510
Ghotla	516	.....	465—473	500—501	462	470—480	465	480
Ghat badala	468—506	467—480	450	480—496	440	487—480	440—444	400
Bagaradad	511	469—471	460	478—484	405	472—490	430	465
Roots (1st class)	521—529	551—585	.....	573	500	500—517	500	593—609
Do (2nd class)	526—547	552—635	455	562—570	455—465	500—533	481	580—590
Do (3rd (class)	543—555	525—640	441—443	504—551	430	450—491	469	570
Jajpokal (1st class)	406—442	431—456	412—426	471—481	400	440—461	400	405—471
Do (2nd class)	430—440	442	380	450—466	375	380—382	385	433
Ain bagar	423—431	400—420	.....	429—436	350	351	363	370—420
Cheria	340—345	302—343	337	372	290	316	310	368
Ain chilta	251	271—279	241	280—287	180	250	180	245
Hatri chilta	305	250—320	235	288	175	250	185	270
Milva chilta	132—133	146—148	130	146—150	80	100—121	80	90
Basola bukni	72	109	80	92	46	88	50	75
Saw-dust or powder	450	.....	.....	300	.....	300	425	220

Statement showing the Rates secured for different descriptions of Sandalwood, &c.,—*concluded.*

Description of wood.	Hassan koti.		Bangalore koti.		Seringapatam koti.		Hunsur koti.		Remarks.
	1898-99.	1899-1900.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	1898-99.	1899-1900.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Vilayat budh	520	546	520	554	.....	536	.....	550—558	
China budh	515	551	500	530—554	.....	539	500	552—568	
Panjam	536—541	552	524—525	543—544	488	541—545	485	542—570	
Ghotla	485	512	474—484	515—516	472—474	495—499	474	516—517	
Ghat badala	462	500—510	450	487—490	441	491	440	493—513	
Bagaradad	470	486—494	450	485—487	412—414	488—489	415	495—500	
Roots (1st class)	500—515	650—675	500	650—655	500—505	650	500	732—738	
Do (2nd class)	471—472	630—651	461—463	652—681	451	600	452	720—760	
Do (3rd class)	441—451	585—600	435—451	661—671	441	600	446	770—776	
Jajpokal (1st class)	428—431	497—501	420—424	485	400	465—481	400	492—514	
Do (2nd class)	411—413	490—499	397	465	375	455—458	380	462—473	
Ain bagar	390	475—483	375	430—432	358	424—434	358	434—436	
Cheria	355	381—382	355	352—386	301	364	320	386—399	
Ain chilta	210	275—280	200	255	200	263—273	202	302—307	
Hatri chilta	241	300	216	271	201	265	201	321	
Milva chilta	90	142—150	80—91	129	80	129—130	80	146—152	
Basola bukni	72	102—106	64—66	109—111	45	107—108	44	106	
Saw-dust or powder	450	400	450	.....	460	386	465	366	

Statement showing the quantities of Sandalwood exposed for sale and those disposed of during the auction sales of 1899-1900.

District.	Koti.	Quantity actually exposed for sale.				Quantity sold during the auction sales.				Value.			Average per ton sold.	Quantity remained unsold.				Remarks.
		T.	cwt.	lbs.	oz.	T.	cwt.	lbs.	oz.	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	T.	cwt.	lbs.	oz.	
Shimoga	Tirthahalli	160	18	...	...	160	15	...	..	67,521	4	0	420	...	3	...	...	
	Sagar	254	9	20	...	254	9	20	...	(a) 1,14,146	8	6	449	...	...	...	...	(a) Excludes 5 tons, 13 cwt. and 26 lbs. of last year's roots sold for Rs. 2,491-1-9 at Rs. 440 per ton, and 42 tons of white chips sold for Rs. 296-10-0.
	Shimoga	400	...	...	...	400	...	...	...	1,61,182	5	9	408	...	...	..	...	
Kadur	Chikmagalur	171	3	...	...	170	17	...	...	(b) 68,750	8	1	402	..	6	...	...	(b) Excludes 11 tons, 3 cwt. and 91 lbs. of inam wood sold for Rs. 4,762-7-6.
Hassan	Hassan	311	14	...	...	311	14	...	...	1,39,614	15	2	448	...	...	...	..	
Bangalore	Bangalore	108	1	105	...	107	19	...	...	(c) 46,877	11	1	434	...	2	105	...	(c) Excludes 5 tons, 8 cwt. and 21 lbs. of Civil and Military Station wood sold for Rs. 2,153-7-7.
Mysore	Seringapatam	325	...	...	...	325	...	...	...	(d) 1,45,481	15	4	448	...	...	...	...	(d) Excludes 2 tons, 13 cwt. and 41 lbs. of inam wood sold for Rs. 630-6-9.
	Hunsur	377	17	...	...	377	17	...	...	1,81,978	6	4	482	..	...	...	...	
	Total ..	2,109	3	13	...	2,108	11	20	...	(e) 9,25,553	10	3	439	...	11	105	..	(e) Against 2,055 tons, 8 cwt., 80 lbs. and 8 oz. sold for Rs. 7,82,289-0-2 in the previous year's auction and private sales.

(2) Letter No. 3519—207, dated 25th April 1900, from the same Officer submitting a statement showing percentage particulars of different classes of sandalwood prepared and exposed for sale in each koti.

No. 480—Ft. F. 31-95, dated Bangalore, 29th January 1901.

Order thereon—Recorded with satisfaction.

2. The total quantity of sandalwood sold was 2,108 tons, 11 cwts. and 20 lbs. yielding a revenue of Rs. 9,25,553-10-3 at an all-round average rate of Rs. 439 per ton against a budget provision of 2,015 tons estimated to yield Rs. 7,55,000 for 1899-1900.

J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

Read—

The following letter with its enclosures from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, No. 4091—42, dated 18th June 1900.

"I have the honor to refer for the orders of Government the following report and proposals regarding the management of the district forests of Shimoga where, as I learned during my last tour of inspection, wood is, in accordance with the Deputy Commissioner's orders, being removed for purposes of trade, free of all payment or seigniorage."

2. In Government Notification No. 6202—Ft. F. 97-95, dated 3rd March 1899, cancelling the rates for firewood in cases where "no pre-paid license is taken" it was laid down that pre-paid licenses must *in all cases* be taken out when firewood is cut or charcoal burned for sale in district forests. That Notification did not refer to Notification No. 177, dated 20th December 1887, because, as stated in your docket No. 7884—Ft. F. 97-95, dated the 5th instant, the latter did not embody two rates of seigniorage, one for pre-paid and the other for not pre-paid licenses. It was, in fact, unnecessary to quote it; but the omission to do so did not mean that the Notification No. 177 of December 1887 was cancelled. On the contrary, the orders of 3rd March 1899, as I understand them, simply extended to the remaining seven districts, the rule as to compulsory pre-payment previously ordered to be enforced in Shimoga.

3. Upon the issue of the orders of March 1899, I addressed to the Deputy Commissioner my circular letter No. 3171-78—91, dated 24th March 1899, of which I enclose a copy. I do not know what action the Deputy Commissioner took on that circular; but I have, with reference to what follows, received no reply to it up to date.

4. In January last when on tour I learned that, under orders of the Deputy Commissioner, the practice of collecting fees on fuel removed from district forests for purposes of trade had been stopped; and that the people were freely allowed to remove wood *gratis* for sale. I therefore addressed the Deputy Commissioner in my letter of the 25th January (copy appended). I attach in original the correspondence which ensued.

5. As I understand the case, the action of the Deputy Commissioner has been incorrect; and I venture to submit that it would have been preferable, if before issuing orders and introducing a new principle (namely the free grant, uncontrolled, of Government forest produce for trading purposes), the Conservator of Forests had been consulted; the more so that, as indicated by the District Forest Officer, the question is closely related to the Administration of the State Forests and the receipt of Government revenue.

6. If my view be correct, Notification No. 177, dated 20th December 1887, (as amended by Notification No. 70, dated 3rd June 1899) is in force. In the matter of licenses, that Notification, and the corresponding Notifications for other districts, distinguish between three classes of persons, namely:—

(a) those who may obtain produce free and without a license;
(b) those who may obtain produce free but with a license; and
(c) those who must obtain and pay for a license before they can cut and remove produce.

Now by the last clause of the Notification the rules (excepting No. 1) as to charcoal shall apply "to firewood also cut and removed under this notification." The general rule as regards firewood is that "*No person* shall cut or remove firewood from any district jungle except under a license or pass granted" by the proper authority "upon payment of the seigniorage duty." An exception to this general rule is made by Rule 9 in favor of certain specified classes of people; but "the firewood thus obtained free for *bona fide* use shall not be sold or bartered or in any way used or transferred for purposes of trade." In the matter of payment, the rules appear to make no other exception. Consequently "no person," not covered by Rule 9, can cut or remove firewood unless by pre-paid license. And "no person," even if covered by Rule 9, can cut or remove without pre-payment, firewood not destined for *bona fide* personal use. As long ago as 1867 Government laid down that "From and after the 1st April 1867 no person is at liberty to sell firewood and charcoal in the Nagar Division without taking out a license for the same" at rates of payment specified (*Mysore Gazette* of 23rd February 1867). Pre-payment for Government forest produce obtained for trade is a principle enforced throughout the Province. The

principle, explicitly or by implication, pervades Notification No. 177, dated 20th December 1877. And it is emphasised in the Government Order dated 3rd March 1899. I am therefore wholly at a loss to understand why the Deputy Commissioner has abolished and would abolish it for the Shimoga district alone, so far as the district forests are concerned.

7. It will be observed that Rule 1 of Notification No. 177 does not govern the fees to be charged for different kinds of loads for firewood; and in this respect the Notification appears incomplete. The reason probably is that it was issued before any of the corresponding orders for other districts. But in Notification No. 177, the fees to be charged for firewood exported to Her Majesty's Territories are prescribed in detail, while by the same Rule (No. 11, penultimate clause) it is laid down, as regards firewood destined for local consumption, that—

"Non-mohatarfa paying.....firewood cutters.....shall not fell or remove firewood except upon a license" at two annas per cart-load. Fees for other loads are not laid down, but this, in face of the general tenour of the orders, appears to have been an oversight and cannot, I think, be taken as implying that (say) bullock or head-loads can be removed *gratis* for trading purposes. Indeed the relation between the various loads is stated in Rule 11.

8. The Deputy Commissioner apparently does not consider the matter of much importance. But I think that, both because of the general principle involved and the practical effect on forest preservation generally and on the State Forest revenues of allowing Government wood to be removed free for sale, he is mistaken. Certainly the present practice is subversive of all ideas of good forest management. In certain parts of the Shimoga district, the old district forests have disappeared owing to improvident use, and the raiyats themselves are inconvenienced. Government have ruled (Proceedings No. 6393-401—Ft. F. 5-98, dated 8th March 1900), how requests for the allotment of district forests should in such cases be dealt with. But these orders do not touch professional fuel cutters who, as I pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner, may, in a taluk such as Honnali be actually better off as to fuel supply than the kandayam-paying raiyats. Enquiries show that, in the aggregate, a very large quantity of fuel is annually removed, which in any other district would be charged for under rule. To draw the matter to a head, I instanced to the Deputy Commissioner the case of a train-load of fuel which, under his ruling, might be removed *gratis* for sale at Bangalore. This instance is not so hypothetical as the Deputy Commissioner supposes; for the fuel which is or might be removed free in small quantities throughout the district amounts in the aggregate to many train loads, to many thousands of cart-loads.

9. I see no reason for treating fuel traders in Shimoga very differently from those in other Mahnad districts and believe that the original intention was that all should be dealt with alike. In these districts, similar and very generous concessions in the matter of forest produce are made to cultivators (under the Raiyats' Privilege Rules) and to other privileged classes. Traders in fuel have no claims to similar treatment, as in their case the underlying principle of land or industry assessed to revenue is not concerned. I would invite attention to the remarks of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, on the present and prospective effects of permitting fuel to be removed free of payment for trade, and to my predecessor's opinion as to the lowness of the rate now (nominally) charged for each cart-load.

10. I propose that the rules in force in Kadur (Notification No. 113, dated 13th August 1888 and Notification No. 1459, dated 10th October 1888) should be generally followed in Shimoga, and enclose a draft Notification for publication in the *Gazette*, if approved. The change involves, for the most part, merely a better arrangement and wording of existing rules. In the draft I have adopted the Kadur rates for firewood, together with a rate of 3 pies per head-load, as a large quantity of wood is sold in the Shimoga district by head-loads. I have further added a proviso that the rates per country and vaddar cart-load may be increased by the Deputy Commissioner and the Conservator, acting in concert, when the fuel is intended for consumption outside the limits of the district. I may remark that when fuel from district forests is traded in in large quantities, rates should be fixed as for State Forests. I could cite instances of whole district forests having been destroyed owing to this principle being overlooked. The draft includes ebony under the "Reserved kinds" of trees, but omits the following "Unreserved kinds" included in the Kadur rules:—bage, halasu, kullugariga, and gandagariga. I propose to consult the Deputy Commissioner regarding these four kinds. I provisionally retain, with a slight alteration, Kadur Rule No. 13. But the rule is, in some respects, not in harmony with Rules 2, 8 and 10 and may serve to cover fraudulent removals of produce. Bearing in view Government Order No. 6201—Ft. F. 97-95, dated 3rd March 1899, I am inclined to think that draft Rule 13 should be delected.

11. If Government approve the draft, I suggest that it be published at the earliest date as the continuance of the present practice of free removal is likely to occasion difficulties to say nothing of the pecuniary loss to Government entailed by these sweeping free grants of produce. Notification No. 177, dated 20th December 1887, which makes payment (as I understand) obligatory was issued more than 12 years age. I see no

sufficient grounds for giving notice of payment as proposed by the Deputy Commissioner; but think, on the contrary, that the sooner payment is made obligatory the better from every point of view. I refrain from discussing various issues raised by the Deputy Commissioner. If Government approve the draft orders, the local authorities should, I submit, make arrangements for their application as in other districts.

12. In conclusion, I venture to suggest for the consideration of Government whether it would not be advisable to rule that Deputy Commissioners should not issue, in respect of the management of district forests, any order of general application or which raises an important principle or which is likely to affect the Administration of State Forests, without first consulting the Conservator as the responsible adviser of Government in forest matters. It will be seen that Rule No. 2 of Notification No. 177 associates in some respects the Conservator with the Deputy Commissioner. But, apart from that, information was available in my office which, had the Deputy Commissioner referred to me, would have been placed at his disposal and would, I think, have caused him to alter his expressed opinions.

(ENCLOSURES TO THE ABOVE).

I.

Letter No. 2251—146, dated the 21st March 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga district, to the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

Adverting to your letter No. 292, dated 25th January 1900, I have the honor to forward herewith a Memorandum showing what my views and proposals in the matter are. I find it more convenient to separate them from the reply to the other points raised in your letter.

2. It is true that in Sagar and perhaps in another taluk, I found that acting under a misconception concerning the meaning of Government Proceedings No. 6202—Ft. F. 97-95, dated 3rd March 1899, which were circulated for information, they started the practice of levying seigniorage on fuel removed from district jungles. This was brought to my notice by petitions and otherwise. I was satisfied that the innovation was not warranted by any order of Government, and ordered its discontinuance.

3. In my letter to the Deputy Conservator which was shown to you, I gave my reasons for not concurring in the view that the 'charcoal' rules may be extensively interpreted so as to apply to fuel also. With due deference, I am still of the same opinion; and I do not think that any useful purpose would be served by my re-stating the reasons at length. The hypothetical cases of a thousand carts or a railway train load, no doubt, serve to show the theoretical possibility of the present concessions being abused to the great detriment of public interests. But that no such danger need be apprehended is clearly shown by our failure to find a market for fuel cut in State Forests and stacked in depots. A single case like the one supposed would have been enough to bring about the immediate alteration of the rules; but it has not yet occurred. It seems to me that Government has advisedly left fuel free in this district, having regard to all the local circumstances. I also fail altogether to see how a kandayam-paying raiyat in Honnali can be worse off than his neighbour, who may be a fuel merchant.

4. There being thus a radical difference in the construction of the existing rules between your view and mine, the question can be authoritatively decided only by Government or perhaps by the Chief Court (if the matter is judicially submitted). But I believe that my proposals may at least partially meet with your approval; and if Government passes orders on them, the determination of this controversy would become superfluous.

5. A copy of the District Forest Officer's letters on this subject is appended.

II.

Memo on seigniorage for fuel in the Shimoga district.

Section 22 of the Forest Rules of 1878, gives a general liberty to cut and carry away fuel from a district forest. The liberty, it must be noted, is not confined to raiyats only. Section 23 gives power to Government to regulate and restrict this privilege, reserving, however, what may be necessary for the "home use of the surrounding population," there again making no distinction between raiyats and others.

2. The restrictions in force in this district are those laid down by the Notification of 20th December 1887 (No. 177). They apply to charcoal-burners; to exporters to British India, and to non-mohatarfa-paying brick kiln, chunam kiln or charcoal-burners, contractors in the Public Works Department, Gold Mining Companies and others working steam-engines and manufacturers in the district.

3. That these rules cannot, by the force of the last clause (*mutatis mutandis*), be applied to others not mentioned, is quite plain. It would, for example, be inadmissible to argue that we may substitute 'fuel' for 'charcoal' in the sentence in Rule 9, "the fuel thus obtained free shall not be sold, bartered, &c.," and thence deduce that two annas seigniorage should be levied from every person who wishes to sell fuel. That such rules (laying down that prepaid licenses should be taken at prescribed rates) are separately prescribed for other districts, shows that the exclusion of this district is deliberate.

4. Further qualifications as to the class and kind of wood that may be taken as fuel, are introduced by Notification No. 240, dated 31st March 1886. If this is properly enforced, a large part of the necessary and possible protection will be afforded to district forests.

5. As this is the only district in which license fees are not levied, the distinction may seem invidious; but it seems to me that there are some special circumstances justifying it. Kadur and Hassan seem to be the two districts where the circumstances are parallel. But in both the districts, the large coffee estates in malnad tracts which take up a considerable area of what would otherwise be district jungle, have an important bearing. They lessen the area from which fuel may be taken on seigniorage and they also provide many private sources of procuring fuel without payment to Government. The abundance of trees in most parts of the district and the sparseness of population has to be taken into consideration. Also it is a notorious fact that fuel in the malnad burns much more rapidly, the wood being softer, and the habits of the people require more fuel than in the maidan. There is, on these grounds, a strong case for continuing the exemption at any rate in the malnad tracts of the district.

6. If, however, it is considered necessary that seigniorage should be introduced, I think that it should be confined at present only to large places, say municipal towns, where Octroi is being levied. All the rules hitherto introduced in other districts have exempted cultivating raiyats from the necessity of taking out licenses or paying seigniorage. Of course, the same concession should be in force here. If this is allowed, there will be hardly any other persons found in rural tracts. Not a single bandy, load is actually sold in places other than towns in this district. So, it would be the simplest thing and would have a great deal of unnecessary annoyance to people, if the rule is left as it is at present in all these places.

7. I would propose a uniform rate of four annas a bandy in all municipal towns (except Nagar and Kalhurkatte, which may either be free or pay two annas only on account of their situation and smallness). All bandies brought within municipal limits should save licenses, the cultivating raiyats and those who bring fuel cut on private lands being given free licenses by the Amildar.

8. The habit of carrying fuel as bullock or ass-loads does not prevail in this district and we need not say anything about them.

9. When poor persons carry head-loads either for their use or for sale, they need not be subjected to any payment.

10. The seigniorage may be the same whether the fuel is brought from State or district jungles. One-fourth of the collections may be made over to the municipality concerned, partly for the work of collection and supervision and partly as for the locality from which the revenue is derived.

11. Now that there is railway communication, we may as well lay down that fuel transported by railway should pay at the rates laid down for Bangalore district, though owing to the distance of possible large markets, I do not expect that any such trade is likely to be started.

12. If Government resolves on introducing rules prescribing seigniorage, I would suggest that the rules be published some six months before coming into force, so that proper notice may be given and arrangements made.

No. 504-5—Ft. F. 97-95, dated Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

Order thereon—In the letter read above, the Conservator reports *inter alia* that, in the Shimoga district, forest produce intended for trade or barter, is, under the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, removed free of payment from district forests; and proposes to bring local practice in this respect into line with that obtaining in the remaining districts of the Province by the issue of orders enforcing the general principle that forest produce, the property of Government, cut and removed for trading purposes shall, unless the contrary be expressly provided, be paid for.

2. Since the receipt of the Conservator's reference, the Mysore Forest Regulation has been introduced; and it is intended to consolidate the District Forest Rules and to re-issue them under the Regulation. This, however, cannot be done immediately; while no time should be lost in enforcing in the Shimoga district the general principle adverted to above. While, therefore, reserving for future consideration certain matters alluded to by the Conservator, Government direct that the following Notification be published in the *Mysore Gazette* for general information.

J. L. PIGOT.
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Conservator of Forests in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 506—Ft. F. 97-95, dated Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

Pending the promulgation of rules relating to district forests under the Mysore Forest Regulation of 1900, the following rates will be levied upon firewood or charcoal felled or burned in or removed from district forests of the *Shimoga district*; and the following rules will be enforced :—

Firewood.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Per country cart-load	0	4	0
„ vaddar do	0	2	0
„ bullock load	0	0	9
„ ass do	0	0	6
„ head do	0	0	3

Charcoal.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Per cart-load	2	8	0
„ bullock load	0	8	0
„ ass do	0	4	0
„ head do	0	2	0

The rate for a cart drawn by four bullocks will be double that for a country cart, and so on for every additional pair of bullocks.

The rates for country and vaddar cart-loads may be increased by the Conservator of Forests, and the Deputy Commissioner (acting in concert) when the fuel is intended for consumption outside the limits of the district.

2. No person shall cut or burn firewood or charcoal in any district forest or remove the same except under a license granted by the Amildar or District Forest Officer, or other official duly authorized on that behalf by the Deputy Commissioner of the district, upon payment of the seigniorage rates as above; and all persons engaged in such felling or burning shall abide by the terms of the license and by such directions as the Deputy Commissioner may, with the approval of the Conservator of Forests, lay down as regards the class or classes of trees to be felled and the manner in which they shall be cut and removed.

3. If, within the time specified in the license, the holder thereof fails to remove firewood or charcoal, the license shall become null and void and the licensee shall not have any right to the refund of the fee.

4. The whole quantity covered by license shall be removed in one lot and at one time.

5. The license-holder shall have no right to claim firewood or charcoal from a forest other than the one named in his license on the ground that he failed to obtain the quantity in that forest.

6. The maximum number of cart-loads to be removed under one license shall be 25, and no licenses shall be granted in a closed forest.

7. It shall be competent for the Deputy Commissioner to close any forest or parts thereof to the public and prohibit therein all cutting of firewood or burning of charcoal.

8. Any person found cutting or burning in, or removing firewood or charcoal from, a closed forest or removing the same from the forest allotted, in excess of the number of cart-loads covered by the license, or any person removing firewood or charcoal under a time-expired license shall be deemed to have cut and removed such firewood or charcoal without a license.

9. No paid license shall be granted for cutting or burning and removing firewood or charcoal from the jungle tracts set apart for the *bona fide* use of the cultivating raiyats.

10. These rules, so far as they prescribe seigniorage, shall not affect existing privileges of kandayam-paying raiyats and of mohatarfa-paying iron smelters and iron-smiths to get firewood or charcoal free for their own *bona fide* private use, such persons (excepting raiyats whose privileges will be withheld if abuse be committed) shall be bound to obtain free licenses for cutting firewood and to abide by the terms of such licenses. Firewood or charcoal obtained free shall not be sold, bartered or otherwise used for purposes of trade.

11. The following kinds of trees shall not be felled or burnt for firewood or charcoal:—

RESERVED KINDS.

Sandal, teak, poon, blackwood, honne, jalari, nandi, hebhalasu, karachi, bilimatti, kari-matti and ebony.

UNRESERVED KINDS.

Hunal, masi, hettiga, jambi, bilvara, tadasal, mavu, hunse, kendal, nerle, bagi, hadaga, bharangi, sampige, nanja, gundi, vate, alalekayi, cinnamon, kachu, geru and gamboji.

12. All firewood or charcoal felled or burnt on private or inam lands and removed for sale or otherwise shall be covered by a free pass to be obtained from the Amildar or District Forest Officer or other official duly authorized on that behalf by the Deputy Commissioner of the district and when so covered, the same shall be exempted from seigniorage above prescribed.

By Order,
J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

GEOLOGICAL

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore,

READ—

1 *Letter from the District Magistrate of Tumkur, No. 484, dated 23rd November 900.*

I have the honor to forward herewith a memorandum on the application of Bylappa of Tiptur, who holds a license to possess and sell ammunition under the Arms Regulation and Rules, praying for a non-objection certificate for importing certain articles of ammunition from Madras, and to request that I may be favored with the orders of Government on the points mentioned in paras 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the Memo.

(2) *Memorandum forwarded with the above letter.*

Bylappa of Tiptur holds a license to sell ammunition under Rule 7 of the Rules under the Mysore Arms Regulation, 1890. In April 1900 he obtained a license from the First Assistant to the Resident to import the following ammunition from Madras to Tiptur:—

Sulphur	...	...	...	...	1,000 lbs.
Shots	...	...	...	...	150 ,,
Percussion caps	...	...	...	...	15,000
Fuses, coils	...	...	...	...	25
Detonators	...	...	...	...	200
Gunpowder	...	...	...	...	100 lbs.

The period fixed for the export was from 19th April to 19th May. It was afterwards extended to 31st May and again to 31st July 1900. The licensee has not, however, imported any of the above articles up to date. He now wishes to do so and has applied to the District Magistrate for a non-objection certificate.

2. A certificate will accordingly be granted to the applicant for the export of the above mentioned articles, with the exception of Detonators, for the possession and sale of which he has not as yet obtained licenses under Sections 15 or 18 and 22 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation.

3. Local dealers in ammunition usually import the marginally noted explosives. It is clear from the First Assistant Resident's letter No. 3287, dated 10th July 1900, printed with Proceedings No. 2341-50—J. 263, dated 16th August 1900, that to enable a person to import Dynamite and Detonators, he must, in addition to a license under the Mysore Arms Regulation, enabling him to possess and sell ammunition, have a license for the possession of these two articles, either under Section 15 or Section 18 of the Rules framed under the Explosives Regulation, but the question arises whether such a license under the Explosives Regulation should also be insisted on in the case of Fuse, Gunpowder, Percussion caps and Cartridges, which are respectively explosives of Division 1, 2 or 3 of the 6th, Ammunition class, 1st Gunpowder class and Division 1 of the 6th Ammunition class.

Dynamit.
Detonators.
Fuse.
Gunpowder.
Percussion caps.
Cartridges.

4. Another question upon which definite orders are required is, whether the dealer who holds a license in Form III under the Rules framed under the Mysore Arms Regulation should be called upon to take out a separate license for the sale of the explosives above named under Section 22 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation. If the question is answered in the affirmative, a dealer in any of the explosives above named would have to take out three licenses on payment of an aggregate license fee of Rs. 20 or Rs. 35 in stamps per annum, as particularized below ;—

		License Fee.
(i)	License to keep and sell ammunition under Rule 7 of the Rules under the Arms Regulation	Rs. 10
(ii)	License to possess explosives under Sections 15 or 18 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation	Rs. 5 20
(iii)	License to sell explosives under Section 22 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation.	Rs. 5

These licenses are of course in addition to the export license for which the applicant has to pay Rs. 5 on each occasion of export.

5. Under Section 15 of the Rules framed under the Explosives Regulation, the quantity of explosives for the possession of which the District Magistrate is empowered to grant licenses is put down at 60 lbs. It is doubtful whether the prescribed weight applies also to Detonators, Fuse, Percussion caps and Cartridges, which are usually reckoned by the number.

6. * * * *

It is believed that the procedure laid down in Section 18 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation is to be observed only in the case of applications to possess explosives more than 60 lbs. in weight, but definite orders are solicited as to whether the same procedure should be followed in all cases, without regard to the quantity of the explosives possessed. Dynamite, Detonators and Fuse are imported for blasting purposes and are sold in small quantities.

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(3) *Memo by the Chief Inspector of Explosives, dated 21st December 1900, in reply to the points raised by the District Magistrate of Tumkur.*

MEMO.

(i) Licenses for the manufacture, possession or sale of any explosives must be granted in the forms prescribed by the Rules under the Explosives Regulation.

Separate licenses for the above need not be taken out under the Arms Regulation provided that the licensing authority directs by an order written on each of the former license that it shall have the same effect as a license under the Arms Regulation (*vide* No. 42 of the Explosives Rules.) This will obviate the difficulties referred to in para 3 of the Memo from the District Magistrate of Tumkur.

(ii) The licenses required for the explosives (ammunition) mentioned in para 3, *viz.*, Dynamite, Detonators, Fuse, Gunpowder, Percussion caps and Cartridges, are as follows :—

(*a*) If the total amount does not exceed 60 lbs.—

1 a license to possess in Form D. ... Rs. 5
and 2 a license to sell in Form F. ... ,, 5

(*b*) If the total amount is more than 60 lbs.—

1 a license to possess Dynamite, Detonators and other explosives up to 60 lbs. in Form D. ... Rs. 5

2 a license to possess up to—
200 lbs. of gunpowder,
200 lbs. of fireworks,
500 lbs. of explosive in ammunition of the 6th (Ammunition) class ;—
in Form C. ... As. 8

3 a license to sell explosives—
in Form F. ... Rs. 5

(*c*) For still larger amounts than can be covered by the above licenses, a license in Form E must be obtained.

Each of the above licenses granted should have an order written on it in accordance with Rule 42 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation.

(iii) With regard to the queries in para 5 of the Memo from the District Magistrate of Tumkur :

Any reasonable quantities of safety-fuse and percussion caps may be kept without being reckoned in the total weight. The amounts to be kept must, however, be stated on the license.

Detonators should be reckoned at 2¼ lbs. of explosive per 1,000 *sextuple* or 1¼ lbs. per 1,000 *treble* detonators.

Safety-cartridges may be reckoned at 2 lbs. of explosive per 100 (one hundred) if the actual weight of explosive in them is not known.

(iv) With regard to the sulphur and shots (lead) referred to in para 1 of the Memo from the District Magistrate of Tumkur :

It is to be observed that these substances are not explosives according to the Rules under the Explosives Regulation and cannot be licensed thereunder. They are classed as "Military Stores" under the Arms Regulation and must be licenced in Form II, III or VI of the Rules thereunder.

(v) Licenses to transport any explosives (ammunition), arms or military stores must be granted in Form 1 of the Rules under the Arms Regulation.

(vi) The procedure indicated in Rule 18 of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation is to be followed only in case of licenses granted in Form E and is not necessary in case of licenses in Forms A, B, C or D. It is, however, very desirable that licensing officers should submit plans of small magazines or licensed premises with full details as to the explosives to be stored therein, as well as a plan of the proposed site to a distance of 150 yards around any magazine to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, in order to avoid the chance of such structures being condemned by the latter on inspection.

No. 236-45—M. F. 141, DATED BANGALORE, 3RD JANUARY 1901.

ORDER THEREON—The above papers are communicated to the following officers for information and guidance:—

The Inspector General of Police.
All District Magistrates.
The Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore.

W. F. SMEETH,
Secy. to Govt., Geol. Dept.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 234—M. 1900-1901, dated 5th January 1901.

The following draft of additions and amendments proposed to be made in the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulation, II of 1888, published with Notification No. 311-M.—1897, dated 29th June 1898, is hereby published for general information under Section 15 of the said Regulation and will be taken into consideration after the 15th of February 1901.

Objections and suggestions in respect of the proposed additions and amendments will be duly considered if submitted to the Government in the Geological Department on or before the 15th of February 1901.

For Rule 33 VII (*e*) substitute the following:—

"Explosives may be carried by mixed trains on any line on which goods trains are not running, subject to the conditions that they are loaded in properly constructed powder vans; that not more than one powder van containing explosives is forwarded at any one time by a mixed train; that there are not less than three vehicles between the powder van and either the engine or the passenger coaches; that the powder van is close-coupled to the adjoining vehicles; and that directly a powder van containing explosives arrives at a section on which goods trains are running, it is detached from the mixed train."

Rule 5, proviso II, will be altered as follows:—

"To the possession of fire-works, not exceeding 200 lbs., if obtained and intended for immediate use and not for sale, and if kept for a period not exceeding 14 days, provided that the possession of such fire-works in Municipal areas shall only be authorized on the obtaining of a permit to this effect. Such a permit shall be granted, free of cost, by a Magistrate of the 1st Class or by a Police Officer not below the rank of an Assistant Superintendent of Police, on the applicant certifying that the fire-works shall be kept in a closed receptacle in a building or excavation at a safe distance from any dwelling house, shop or public way."

The following proviso will be added to Condition 9 of Form A; Condition 8 of Form B and Condition 4 of Form C of the forms prescribed in the Schedule appended to the Rules:—

"Provided that this condition shall not be obligatory in a building in which no explosive other than an explosive of the 1st Division of the 6th (ammunition) class is kept."

By Order,
W. F. SMEETH,
Secy. to Govt., Geological Dept.

Exd.—C.V.

PART II

GENERAL

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	8558 / Pol. 335	2	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding a sketch of the piece of land made over to the Madras Railway Company for the erection of huts by the porters of the Bangalore City Railway Station and also a copy of the acknowledgment of the same received from the Station Master, Bangalore City Railway Station.
2	8559 / Mis. 1865	3	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying that Mr. C. Sreenivasiengar, Secretary to Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, returned from leave and received charge of his office from Mr. L. Anantasami Rao, Officiating Secretary, on the forenoon of the 3rd January 1901.
3	8560 / Mis. 1866	3	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
4	8586 / Pol. 336	4	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Requesting him to ascertain from the Postmaster General, Madras, whether he would consent to the occupation of the unused portion of the Branch Post Office building at Kibbenhalli in the Tumkur district by the Hobli School newly opened in the village and inform the Durbar about the same.
5	8592 / Mis. 1870	4	Comptroller ..	Forwarding the detailed contingent bill of the Dewan's Camp office for November 1900.
6	8599-600 / P. & A. 849	4	Do, I.G. of Police.	Sanctioning the supplementary pay bill of the Sagar Taluk Police establishment for June 1898, December 1899 and January and February 1900, amounting to Rs. 28-5-6.
7	8601-2 / P. & A. 850	4	Do, & I. G. of Regn.	Sanctioning, as a special case, the travelling allowance bill of M. Vengiah Chetty, Sub-Registrar of Channarayapatna, for September 1899, for a journey performed by him to Hassan for medical examination on account of State Life Insurance.
8	8603-4 / P. & A. 851	4	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug, & Comptr.	Sanctioning, with certain remarks, the travelling allowance bill of Mr. D. K. Darasha, Assistant Commissioner, for November 1900.

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9	8605-6 / P. & A. 852	4	Ex. Comr., & Comptr.	Sanctioning, with certain remarks, the travelling allowance bill of Mr. Mir Nizamuddin Ali Khan, Assistant Commissioner, Mysore division, for October 1900.
10	8607-8 / P. & A. 853	4	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Comptr.	Ditto, of Mr. T. Paramasiva Iyer, Assistant Commissioner of the Closepet division, for October 1900.
11	8609-10 / P. & A. 854	4	Regr., Chief Court, & Comptr.	Sanctioning the payment of a superior invalid pension of Rs. 8 per mensem to Ramachandra Rao, late 1st grade Amin, Central Nazrath, Shimoga Munsiff's Court, with effect from 1st February 1900.
12	8645-46 / Mis. 1881	5	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 139-7-0, being the cost of certain articles purchased of Messrs. Hutchanna & Co., for the use of the Press.
13	8648 / G. F. 88-98	5	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding a copy of a summary of the communications received from the various Heads of Departments regarding the destruction of certain parts of the *Mysore Gazette*; and requesting his opinion on certain points in connection with the same.
14	8649 / P. & A. 856	5	Comptroller ..	Forwarding a copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore and the first page of a pension application received therewith; and requesting him to make the necessary arrangements for the disbursement of the Mysore share of the pension, *viz.*, Rs. 1-6-11, to Fathe Mahomed, late a peon on the menial establishment of the Residency.
15	8650 / P. & A. 857	5	Do ..	Forwarding a copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore and the pension papers of Mahomed Hussain, late a constable in the Civil and Military Station Police Force received therewith, and requesting him to state whether the proportionate share of pension, *viz.*, Re. 0-15-6, debitable to the Mysore Revenues has been correctly calculated.
16	8688 / Pol. 337	7	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for transmission to the Chief Commissariat Officer, Bangalore, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, explaining the inconvenience that would result if the present tracts within the limits of Chulkankerekaval in Devasandra village of Kankanhalli taluk were closed.
17	8689 / Pol. 338	7	Do ...	Ditto, for transmission to the Officer Commanding the 17th Regiment of the Madras Infantry, Bangalore, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, requesting to recover and remit to him Rs. 1-14-0, being the balance of amount due from Mr. and Mrs. Ottlay and party for the supplies made to

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				them by the bungalow servant during their halt at the travellers' bungalow at Hebagodi in the Anekal taluk in March 1900.
18	8690 / Pol. 339	7	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding the petition, wrongly franked under the "Mysore Government Service" by one Venkatakrishnappa, a Member of the Representative Assembly, and stating that the petition alone weighs less than half a tola and that the whole weight of the same with the cover could not exceed one tola, as already intimated.
19	8691 / Pol. 340	7	Do ..	Forwarding eight copies of the monthly volume of the Proceedings of the Government of Mysore for November 1900.
20	8692 / Pol. 341	7	Do ...	Stating that the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore reports to have issued necessary orders regarding the Police arrangements and supplies of provisions, &c., to be made during the proposed special course of Musketry on the Artillery Practice Ground near Viswanathpur.
21	8695 / Mis. 1885	7	Dt. Magte., Bangalore	Forwarding a list of the names of the officials in the Dewan's office who can be spared to serve as Jurors and Assessors.
22	8696-7 / P.& A. 860	7	Comptr. & Ch. Engr.	Sanctioning the payment of a superior invalid pension of Rs. 17-6-9 per mensem to Vellapakam Virasami Mudaliar, late clerk, District Engineer's office, Southern Mahratta Railway, Bangalore, with effect from 27th April 1900.
23	8698-99 / P. & A. 859	7	Do, & Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Ditto, of an inferior invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem to Abdul Nabi, late Revenue dafadar, Tiptur taluk, with effect from 1st May 1900.
24	8700-1 / P.& A. 858	7	Do ..	Ditto, of Rs. 3 per mensem to Muni Giddiah, late Revenue peon, Hoskote taluk, with effect from 16th August 1899.
25	8735 / Mis. 1893	8	Sr Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Forwarding a letter from the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident stating that the Durbar may procure the required number of copies of the "Instructions for the Prevention of Malarial Fever" directly from the publishers, *viz.*, the proprietors of the University Press at Liverpool; and stating that the Senior Surgeon may himself procure the required number of copies of the publication.
26	8738-39 / P. & A. 861	8	Comptr., & Dy. Comr., Hassan.	Sanctioning the travelling allowance bill of the establishment of the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan for June 1900.

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27	8740-41 / P. & A. 862	8	Comptr., &Dy.Comr., Hassan.	Sanctioning the payment of a superior superannuation pension of Rs. 10-2-1 per mensem to Dharmappa, late Head Shroff of the Hassan District Treasury, with effect from 1st September 1899.
28	8744 / Mis. 1898	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of three days' casual leave of absence to Mr. B. K. Venkatavaradaiengar, Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, and directing that the Senior Assistant Commissioner will be in charge of the current duties of the Deputy Commissioner's office during the absence of Mr. Venkatavaradaiengar.
29	8745 / Mis. 1899	8	Dy.Comr., Bangalore.	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
30	8746 / Mis. 1900	8	Comptroller ...	
31	8762 / Mis. 1901	9	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Publishing the names of candidates who have passed the Civil Examination, Part II, held in November 1900, and a list of failures and absentees at the same examination.
32	8763 / Mis. 1902	9	Do ...	Ditto, the Accounts Examination, ditto.
33	8764 / Mis. 1903	9	Do ..	Ditto, the Criminal Examination, ditto.
34	8766 / Pol. F. 350-92	9	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding ten printed copies of the Catalogue of Books registered under Act XXV of 1867 during the quarter ending 31st December 1900.
35	8767 / Pol. 343	9	Do ...	Returning a Route list duly checked and corrected.
36	8768 / Pol.F. 74-92	9	Do ...	Acknowledging with thanks the receipt of Part 72 of the Journal of Indian Art forwarded by him.
37	8844 / Mis. 1912	9	Comptroller ...	Forwarding the detailed contingent bills of the Dewan's office for November 1900.
38	8846 / Mis. 1904	9	Sr Surgn. & Sanitary Comr.	Forwarding, for his information and for communication to the officers concerned, a letter from the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident forwarding a copy of Government of India letter regarding the emoluments payable to Medical officers when selected for promotion to administrative grade and attached to the office of Principal Medical Officer to study Military Medical Administration.
39	8851 / Pol. 345	11	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Acknowledging receipt of his letter, dated the 2nd instant, *re* the estate of the late Mr. H. F. C. Henderson of the Thambalgere estate; and stating that it has been forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Hassan district, for necessary action; and forwarding at the same time a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner regarding certain instructions

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				to be obtained from the Administrator General of Madras as regards the claims made by Mr. Litton, Attorney to Major W. Henderson to be given the possession of tools, etc., necessary to carry on the work of the estate.
40	8880 / Mis. 1923	11	Dy. Comr., Hassan...	Forwarding copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident and of its enclosure, for early compliance with the request made by the Administrator General of Madras and report through this office.
41	8884 / Mis.F.10-95	11	J. Evers, Esq., Advocate, Bangalore.	Authorizing Messrs. Koneman and Hartley to file the specifications of certain inventions made by them, and requesting them to name some place in the Mysore State where notice of any Rule or Proceedings relating to the exclusive privilege may be served.
42	8885-6 / P. & A. 864	11	Agrl. Chemist, & Comptr.	Approving of the Agricultural Chemist's stay at Madras from the 16th to the 22nd December whither he had proceeded to see some of the candidates for the position of probationers in Chemistry under him.
43	8887-8 / P.& A. 865	11	Dy. Comr., Kolar, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 12, being the marching allowance due to the Amildar of the Bowringpet taluk.
44	8889-90 / P. & A. 866	11	Ex. Comr., & Compt.	Ditto, the travelling allowance bill of Ramanna, Excise Inspector, Belur.
45	8894 / P. & A. 869	11	Comptroller	Forwarding copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkur together with the pension papers of K. Hanumantaiya, late Revenue 3rd Accountant of his office, received therewith, for verification and report.
46	8895 / P. & A. 870	11	Do ...	Sanctioning the travelling allowance bill of the establishment of the Officer in charge of the State Huzur Treasury for November 1900.
47	8896-7 / P. & A 871	11	Dy. Comr., Kolar, & Comptr.	Ditto, of C. Krishnama Naidu for November 1900.
48	8898 / P. & A. 872	11	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Resident together with the pension papers of T. Perumal, late a constable in the Civil and Military Station Police Force, received therewith; and requesting the Comptroller to verify the proportionate share of the pension debitable to the Mysore Revenues.
49	8899 / P. & A. 873	11	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug.	Returning the travelling allowance bill of his office establishment for November 1900 for specification of the items requiring sanction of Government.
50	8900 / P. & A. 874	11	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of a letter from the Military Assistant to the Government of Mysore requesting that the Comptroller may be authorized to make certain alterations in the Mysore Service Regulations regarding the travelling allowance allowable to the Jama-

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				dars of the Mysore Infantry Regiments; and authorizing the Comptroller to make the requisite alterations.
51	8901-2 / P. & A. 875	11	Dir. of Statistics & Census Supt., & Comptr.	Authorizing the sanction accorded by the Director of Statistics to Mr. K. Chandy, Assistant Census Superintendent, for sending a "conveyance" at the State expense when travelling on duty, with effect from the date of his joining the Census Department.
52	8903 / P. & A. 876	11	Comptroller ...	Forwarding a statement of services rendered by C. Narayanasami Iyengar in the late Chief Commissioner's office, as requested by the Conservator of Forests.
53	8903½ / P. & A. 879	11	Consvr. of Forests....	Communicating copy of the above letter.
54	8905 / P. & A. 678	11	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Coorg together with the pension papers of S. Abdul Razaak, late head clerk of his office; and requesting the Comptroller to furnish this office with a verified statement of services rendered by the applicant under the Mysore Government, as required by the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Coorg.
55	8906-7 / Mis. 19_8	11	Dir. of Arch. Researches & Comptr.	Directing that the Budget estimates of expenditure of the Archæological Department for 1900-1901 be reduced by Rs. 1,500 and that the same be sanctioned for Rs. 39,828.
56	8911-12 / Mis. 1929	11	Dy. Comrs. of Hassan & Kadur.	Forwarding a copy of the programme of the Hon'ble the Resident's tour and also a list showing the Resident's party and their requirements; and requesting the Deputy Commissioners to arrange for the reception of the Hon'ble the Resident in their respective districts with the usual marks of respect, and also for the supplies, etc., that may be required.
57	8913 / Pol. F. 270-92	11	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding a copy of the Official Memorandum.
58	8919-20 / P. & A. 880	12	Compt., & Ch. Comdt., M. S. T.	Sanctioning the payment of a superior pension of Rs. 44-2-8 per mensem to Syed Buden, late Troop Commander, 2nd Grade Jamadar of the Imperial Service Regiment of the Mysore Horse, with effect from 1st May 1900.
59	8925 / P. & A. 881	12	Comptroller ...	Forwarding certain correspondence relating to the deputation of certain candidates for training at the Imperial Forest School at Dehra Dun; and requesting to be favored with his opinion as to whether the case of Purushothama Rao, one of the candidates referred to therein, falls under Article 242 (1) of the Mysore Service Regulations.

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60	8926 / P. & A. 882	12	Comptroller ..	Forwarding certain papers received from the Residency relating to the pension application of Mr. Bowman, late Sub-Inspector of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore; and requesting him to make the necessary arrangements for the payment of the portion of pension, *viz.*, Re. 0-14-3, debitable to the Mysore Revenues.
61	8934-5 / Mis. 1931	12	Do, & Presdt., City Munl. Comn., Bangalore.	Sanctioning the disbursement of the pay of Srikantaiya, Overseer, Public Works Department, from the sums allotted for the Bangalore City Improvement Works, for such period as he may be employed on the marking of conservancy lanes and such other improvements in the Bangalore City; and requesting the President of the Bangalore City Municipal Commission to report how long the Overseer's services are likely to be required and why he should not at once be reverted to the Public Works Department.
62	8937 / Mis. 1933	12	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Mysore Gazette*, a draft notice inviting tenders for the supply of papers.
63	8938-9 / Mis. 1934	12	Dy. Comr., Hassan, & Comptr.	Sanctioning two bills, one for Rs. 8-11-0 and the other for Rs. 7-8-0, being the amounts spent by the Amildar of the Arsikere taluk in May and June 1900 and by the Deputy Amildar of Alur sub-taluk in April, May and June 1900, respectively, on account of affording relief to indigent immigrants passing to and from coffee estates.
64	8940-42 / Mis. F. 39-97	12	Do, Kadur, Consvr. of Forests, &Ch.Engr.	Declining to accede to the proposals made by the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur, *viz.*, that the toll-gate now situated at the Tadasa bridge be placed at the Lakkavalli plantation huts with the object of exacting toll on the timber carts passing on the Lakkavalli-Tadasa road and that the extra revenue from tolls that may be derived from the proposed arrangement be devoted exclusively to the improvement of that road; and observing that if in addition, the levy of a toll elsewhere is deemed desirable, a separate reference may be made with statistics, etc.
65	8943-44 / Mis. F. 12-99	12	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Sanctioning the detailed contingent bill of the Government Branch Press at Mysore for January 1901.
66	8945-46 / Mis. 1937	12	Supt., Govt. Museum, Bangalore.	According sanction to the re-appropriation of Rs. 100 from the unexpended portion allotted for "furniture" to that of "specimens."

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67	8947 / Mis. 1938	12	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Requesting him to send in future a copy of the *Mysore Gazette*, to the address of the Public Prosecutor, Hassan.
68	8948 / Mis. 1939	12	Public Prosecutor, Hassan.	Forwarding a copy of the above letter.
69	8949 / Mis. 1940	12	Sr Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Forwarding, for perusal and return, a copy of a report on the experimental investigation of the Methods of Inoculation against rinderpest by Captain L. Rogers, I.M.S.
70	8952 / Pol. 349	12	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding a list of references addressed to the Residency pending disposal at the end of December last.
71	8953 / Pol. 55-92	12	Do ...	Forwarding a statement for December 1900, of incidents in the services of Public Works Officers in the General Branch lent to the State; and stating that there were no changes in the services of Public Works Officers in the Railway Branch, and that no Imperial Officers were employed in the latter branch during that month.
72	8954 / Mis. 1942	12	Census Supt. ...	Forwarding a printed copy of the proceedings of a public meeting held at Madras on the 31st December 1900 for discussing certain points in connection with the rules framed regarding the Census of 1901.
73	8955 / Mis. 1947	12	Supt. of Stationery ..	Stating that tenders for the supply of Europe articles required for 1901-02 may be invited; the time fixed being such as to enable other arrangements being made for getting the supply required in time, in case the result of the call for tenders should prove unsatisfactory or futile.
74	8956 / G. F. 30-97	12	Prinpl., Cent. Coll.,	Stating, *in re* the application of S. Venkoba Rao, 1st Class Hospital Assistant at Mysore, for an appointment in the Education Department, that the applicant was not declared unworthy of promotion in the Medical Department for any fault of his as the Principal seems to think, but that, being already in the highest grade of Hospital Assistants, there are no prospects of further advancement for him in the Medical Department, the Government not having found it possible to favorably entertain the Senior Surgeon's proposal to constitute a new grade of Male Apothecaries for him and another Hospital Assistant similarly circumstanced.
75	8962 / Pol. 350	12	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Requesting that sanction of the Government of India may be kindly obtained for the employment, by the Durbar, of Mr. H. G. Searle as Inspector of Police, on Rs. 70+15 (horse allowance) per mensem.

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76	8968 / Pol. 351	14	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Stating, *in re* the supply to the Durbar of copies of Dr. Hultzch's "South Indian Inscriptions" by the Government of Madras, that copies of the volumes published hitherto have not as yet been received in this office; and requesting that the Government of Madras may be kindly moved to favor this Government with eight copies of each volume of the publication from the commencement, including the volume which is said to have been recently published.
77	8969 / Pol. 352	14	Do ..	Forwarding, for favor of transmission to the British Military Authorities for payment, a statement received from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, showing the particulars of compensation, etc., payable to the owners of certain lands near Rajankunte and Honenhalli on which the 2nd Madras Lancers had encamped in October last.
78	8984 / Pol. F. 350-92	15	Do ...	Stating in reply to his letter noticing that copies of the Catalogue of Books registered under Act XXV of 1867 during the quarter ending 30th September 1900, have not been forwarded to him, that ten copies of the same were forwarded to him and receipt of the same duly acknowledged in his office; and forwarding two more copies of the same in addition.
79	8985 / Pol. 354	15	Do ...	Communicating the result of the enquiries made, in response to the petition from Musammat Nasiban, wife of Mahomed Akbar Master, and a resident of Indore City, by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, regarding the estate of her husband who recently died of plague at Bangalore.
80	8986 / Pol.F. 41-92	15	Do ...	Forwarding a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore together with a translation of its Kanarese enclosures regarding the existing condition of Syed Ibrahim's tomb at Channapatna and the arrangements that have been made to look after the tomb.
81	8987 / Mis. 1958	15	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Forwarding copy of the above communication.
82	8989 / Mis.F.17-94	15	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Enquiring, *in re* the letter from Mr. C. B. Hodgkinson, Manager of the Government Press, soliciting a statement by Government as to his future prospects in the Mysore Service, forwarded by the Superintendent, if the latter has no opinion or remarks to offer on the subject.

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83	8990-1 / Mis. F. 437-92	15	Supt. of Stnry., & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 17,739-14-6, being the cost of printing and other papers purchased from the Managing Agents of the Tittaghur Paper Mills at Calcutta for the use of the Stationery Department, and forwarding the same to the Comptroller with the request that the amount stated may be made payable at the Bank of Madras, Madras.
84	8992 / Mis. 1955	15	Miss L. H. Anstey, Ulsur.	Informing her that the Durbar regret their inability to accede to her request to be permitted to occupy the Betmangalam travellers' bungalow for three or four months, as the public will be put to inconvenience by her exclusive occupation of the same.
85	9047 / Pol. F.14-95	16	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Stating that the Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore reports that ten thousand quinine powders of five grains each are in stock at the Medical Stores.
86	9050 / Mis. 1963	16	Sr. Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Enquiring whether any and, if so, what permanent advance had been sanctioned for the Government City Hospital at Bangalore, and whether Rs. 250 now recommended as a permanent advance to be paid to the Superintendent, Victoria Hospital, Bangalore, is not too high.
87	9051-52 / Mis. 1964	16	Do, & Comptr. ...	Sanctioning the purchase of a cash chest at a cost not exceeding Rs. 47 for the use of the Victoria Hospital, Bangalore.
88	9054 / G. F.328-92	16	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Mysore Gazette*, a list of the names of the candidates that have passed the Civil Examination, Part I, held in November 1900; and also a list of failures and absentees at the same examination.
89	9055 / Mis. 1962	16	Sr. Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Enquiring, *in re* the fees or allowance payable to the Medical Officers employed in teaching in the Vaccine Institute out of fees collected from students attending the institute, what the fee collections have been since 1st May 1900, and what the probable amount expected to be collected in future is.
90	9056 / Mis. 1961	16	Do ..	Requesting him to report the nationality of Mrs. Payne, a nurse of Victoria Hospital, sanction for dismissing whom has been solicited by the Senior Surgeon; and also to state how many nurses have been appointed for the Victoria Hospital, and whether the sanction of the Government of India has been obtained in the case of such of them as may be Europeans.

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91	9057 / Mis. 1966	16	Harry Skeen, Esq., Asst. Supt., Govt. Press, Madras.	Informing him that the post of Superintendent of the Government Press in Mysore is not vacant.
92	9058-59 / Mis. F. 319-92	16	Sr Surgn., & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 7-7-4, being the amount of charges incurred during the prevalence of cholera in certain villages of the Challakere taluk in August last.
93	9060 / P. F. 73-92	16	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for transmission to the British Museum Library, London, certain books with a memo of cost.
94	9061-62 / P.& A. 885	16	Comptr., & Dy.Comr., Kolar.	Sanctioning the payment of a superior superannuation pension of Rs. 8-4-8 per mensem to S. Rangappa, late record-keeper, Sidlaghatta taluk, with effect from 1st October 1899.
95	9063-64 / P. & A. 884	16	Do ...	Ditto, of an inferior invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem to Murahari Rao, late shekdar, Mulbagal taluk, with effect from 1st July 1899.
96	9065-66 / P. & A. 886	16	Pg. Comr., & Compt.	Ditto, the travelling allowance bill of T. Bava Rao, District Plague Officer, Mysore district, for September 1900.
97	9067 / P. & A. 887	16	Comptroller ...	Requesting the Comptroller to submit a draft of the rule he would propose both for calculating the pension of officers whose service was partly in the Palace and partly in the Government establishment and also for admitting them to the State Life Insurance.
98	9069 / Pol. 359	16	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Returning the pension papers of J. Peacock, late Foreman in the Residency Press, and forwarding a letter from the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore relating thereto together with a memo of calculation received therewith showing the proportionate share of the pension debitable to the Mysore Revenues in the case of the applicant to be Rs. 3-3-6.
99	9165 / Pol. F. 9-1900	16	Do ...	Forwarding a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, together with copies of its enclosures *in re* the approximate cost of acquiring the land required for a proposed rifle range for the use of the S. M. Rifles at Bangalore.

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100	9103 / P. & A. 888	17	Comptroller ...	Requesting him to consult the Accountant-General, Madras, as to the practical application of the Article in the British Service Regulations, corresponding to Article 321 (*a*) of the Mysore Service Regulations and submit his views to the Government.
101	9104-5 / Mis. 1969	17	Census Supt., & Compt.	Sanctioning the engagement of the "Abshot House," High Ground, for the Census office, on a rent of Rs. 150 per mensem, with effect from 1st January 1901.
102	9106 / Pol.F. 72-92	17	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding a statement of newspapers and periodicals published in the State during the quarter ending 31st December 1900.
103	9148 / G. F. 4-93	17	Senior Surgeon ..	Suggesting certain reductions in his proposition statement for revision of establishment in connection with the amalgamation of his office with that of the Medical Stores and Vaccination Department, proposed by him.
104	9149-50 / Mis. F. 2-1900	17	Compt., Dir. of Statistics & Census Supt., & Mr. K. P. Puttanna Chetty, Dy. Census Supt.	Directing that during his temporary employment as Deputy Superintendent of Census in Mysore, Mr. K. P. Puttanna Chetty be allowed to draw a consolidated salary of Rs. 950 per mensem with travelling allowances at rates sanctioned to Officers in Proceedings No. 8369-404—P. & A. 39-93, dated 28th January 1898.
105	9151 / Pol. 361	17	Secy. to Ch. Comr. of Coorg.	Forwarding, for his information and for communication, if necessary, to the Director of Land Records and Agriculture in Rangoon, a copy of a letter from the Agricultural Chemist in Mysore explaining why the coffee seeds sent to the former failed to germinate when treated as recommended by the Secretary to the North Mysore Planters' Association; and also, for reference, a copy of the letter from the Director of Land Records, Rangoon, reporting on the results of experimental cultivation of the coffee seeds.
106	9152-53 / G. F. 9-99	17	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 319-6-0, being the amount of landing charges, &c., incurred by Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co., Madras, on cases of printing materials, &c., received from London; and forwarding the same to the Comptroller for audit, with the request that it may be enfaced for payment at the Bank of Madras.
107	9158 / Mis. 1973	17	Curator, Govt. Book Depot.	Requesting him to send certain books to the Registrar of the Chief Court, for the use of the District Court, Hassan.
108	9159 / Mis. 1973½	17	Regr., Ch. Court	Communicating copy of the above letter.

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109	9160 / Mis. 1972	17	Dir. of Archl. Researches.	Enquiring whether the name of Mr. P. Sheshiah, High Court Vakil, Vizagapatam, can be registered for being supplied regularly with copies of the volumes of the Mysore and Sravanabelagola Inscriptions that may be published in future.
110	9166 / P. & A. 891	17	Comptroller ..	Returning the travelling allowance bill of the Officiating Dewan for September and October 1900, and stating that Article 558 of the Mysore Service Regulations, which requiries a certificate to the effect that camp equipage has been maintained, is inapplicable to the Dewan, whose actual cost of travelling including expenses of camp equipment or equipage, falling within the definition of Article 14, is borne by the Government, and who, in addition to such travelling expenses, is allowed a daily batta of Rs. 10 under Appendix 2, page 185 of the said Regulations.
111	9170 / Mis. 1981	17	Dy. Comr., Kadur ...	Intimating the despatch of certain tents to the address of the Amildar of the Kadur taluk, and requesting an acknowledgment of receipt of the same.
112	9171-74 / Mis. 1982	17	Comptr., Dy. Comr., Bangalore, Chief Engr., & V. P. Madhava Rao Esq., C. I. E.	Fixing Rs. 50 as the monthly rent to be paid to Mr. Madhava Rao for the occupation, by the Plague Commissioner's office, of the buildings in his compound recently sold to him, with effect from 15th December 1900.
113	9175 / Mis. 1983	17	V. P. Madhava Rao, Esq., C. I. E.	Forwarding two statements showing details of the expenditure of Rs. 70-2-2, incurred this year on the buildings near his bungalow in the Bangalore City, recently sold to him; and stating that a rent of Rs. 50 per mensem has been fixed as payable to him by Government for the occupation of the buildings in question by the Plague Commissioner's office.
114	9176 / P.& A. 892	18	Presdt., Bangalore City Muni. Comn.	Requesting him to state what the maximum and minimum salaries of Conservancy Overseers are in the Bangalore City Municipality and whether they have any clerical work to do.
115	9177-78 / P.& A. 893	18	Compt., & I. G. of Police.	Sanctioning the payment of an Inferior Invalid Gratuity of Rs. 98 to Mahomed Oosman, late 2nd Class Police constable, Malur taluk.
116	9179-80 / M. F.1-1900	18	Sr Surgn. & Sany. Comr. & Comptr.	Authorizing the payment to Mr. Appiah, Assistant Surgeon, on the Palace establishment, of his pay and allowances, at Rs. 280 per mensem, for the period from 17th April to the 31st May 1899, during which he was on privilege leave in his capacity of Assistant Surgeon of the Bowring Civil Hospital but was actually doing duty in the Palace.

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117	9182 / Mis.F.28-99	18	Agril. Chemist ..	Stating that he need not send the return furnishing information in connection with transfers of Officers from British to Foreign Service in Mysore as he is not a "lent" Officer.
118	9183 / Mis. F. 4-98	18	Comptroller ...	Forwarding a bill for Rs. 97-2-7 for extra guard for prisoners employed at the Palace in December 1900.
119	9220 / Pol. 362	18	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for transmission to the Assistant Adjutant General, Bangalore district, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkur district, reporting upon the portion of the Maddur-Kunigal road, lying within the limits of his district.
120	9224 / Mis. 1994	18	Senior Surgeon ..	Enquiring to state early what his objection is to certain portion of the Government Proceedings No. 8220-1—Mis. 1772, dated 18th December 1900, the cancellation of which was requested by him.
121	9225 / Mis. F. 354-92	18	Dy. Comr., Mysore ..	Pointing out that the name of the Sivasamudram Jahgirdar has been omitted from the list of Title-Holders in his district submitted by him for 1900; and requesting that particulars of his title may be submitted at an early date.
122	9226 / Mis. 1995	18	Sr. Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Declining to sanction his proposal to pay an allowance of Rs. 10 per mensem to each of the Hospital Assistants that he intends to post permanently to the Victoria Hospital at Bangalore.
123	9227 / Mis. 1991	18	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Mysore Gazette*, a draft notice inviting tenders for the supply of Europe stationery.
124	9228 / Mis. 1996	18	Secy., State Life Insurance Committee.	Calling for certain information regarding the proposal for further insurance submitted by Mr. K. Chandy, Assistant Census Superintendent.
125	9229 / Pol. 363	19	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding a medical certificate submitted by Kuppusami Mudaliar, Store-keeper, Hessarghatta Water-supply, residing in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore; and requesting that he may be exempted from Census work.
126	9236 / M. F. 13-99	19	Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Requesting him to obtain the views of the Bangalore City Municipal Commission *in re* the special allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem recommended by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore on behalf of Mr. N. Narasimmaiengar, Assistant Veterinary Surgeon attached to the Imperial Service Regiment.

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27	9239 / Mis. 2000	19	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Declining to entertain his proposal to aid the Industrial Company, proposed to be established in the Shimoga district.
28	9252 / G. F. 3-96	19	Comptroller ...	Enquiring whether work on the machine for the manufacture of General Stamps in the Government Stamp Manufactory cannot be stopped for some time in order that it may be repaired.
29	9281 / Mis. 2012	21	Presdt., Munl. Comn., C. & M. Stn., Bangalore.	Stating that the services of N. V. Chinnaswami Pille, who has been appointed by him on Census duty, cannot be spared as also those of the other officials of this office whose names were alike not included in the list forwarded already through the Residency.
30	9265 / Pol. 364	21	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding the above letter, for transmission.
31	9266 / Pol. 365	21	Do ...	Forwarding, for transmission to the Commissioner of Paper Currency, Madras, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore district, reporting on the solvency of the sureties of one Vallegunnie, who has become entitled to a payment of Rs. 200 from the Paper Currency Department.
32	9284 / Mis. F. 307-92	21	Offr. in Ch., Mysore Artware.	Pointing out certain discrepancies in the Artware Accounts submitted by him for August 1900, and requesting him to explain them.
33	9286-87 / Mis. F. 307-92	21	Do, & Comptr. ...	Forwarding the Artware accounts referred to in the above letter to the Comptroller.
34	9285 / Mis. 2017	21	Sr. Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Forwarding, for his information and communication to certain officers of the Medical Department, a copy of an extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, Home Department (Medical), dated 11th December 1900, prohibiting the grant, by Medical Officers in the service of Government, of certificates of lunacy otherwise than in accordance with the law in force in India.
35	9292-93 / Mis. F. 457-92	21	Supt. of Stationery, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 664-6-9, being the amount of landing and railway charges incurred by Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. of Madras, on packages of stationery received from London.
36	9301 / G. F. 14-95	21	Sr. Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Forwarding copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident and of its enclosures, for a very early expression of his views on the proposal of the Director of the Government Cinchona Plantations, Nilgiris, as regards the balance of the quinine powders in stock.

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137	9304 / Pol. 366	21	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Returning, unexecuted, a warrant on one Rathnam Pille employed in the Cigar Company of D. E. M. Narayanasami Pille & Co., Bangalore City.
138	9310 / P. & A. 900	21	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident together with the pension papers of Rungannah, late a constable in the Civil and Military Station, received therewith; and enquiring whether the proportionate share of pension, *viz.*, Rs. 1-9-8, given therein as debitable to the Mysore Revenues, has been correctly calculated.
139	9322 / Mis. 2032	22	Secy. to Govt., Muz. Dept.	Requesting the favor of his opinion as to whether Pandit AnantakrishnaSastri's publication entitled the "Lalita Sahasranama with Bhaskaracharya's commentary" which is of a religious nature, could be purchased from Muzrai Funds, and if so, how many copies of it.
140	9325 / Mis. 2035	22	Comptroller ...	Forwarding, for adjustment, a bill for Rs. 56-5-9, being the equivalent in Indian Currency of £3-15-0 remitted by means of a cheque from the Bank of Madras to Messrs. Dawson & Sons, London, on account of subscription for the *Economist* and the *Statist* for the year 1900-1901.
141	9326-27 / Mis.F. 11-99	22	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Sanctioning the detailed contingent bill of the Central Press for November 1900.
142	9329 / Mis. 2038	22	Ernest Hayes, Esq., Compiler, "Hayes' Mysore & Coorg Directory."	Requesting him to supply this office with eight copies of his Directory for 1901.
143	9330-31 / Mis. F. 38-92	22	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Sanctioning certain bills amounting in total to Rs. 49-9-11, being the amount of overtime allowances due to fixed establishment of the Government Branch Press at Mysore for October, November and December 1900.
144	9332-33 / Mis. F. 9-99	22	Do ...	Ditto, a bill for Rs. 85-4-0, being cost of kerosine oil supplied by Messrs. Hajee Ismail Sait & Co., for the use of the Mysore Government Press.
145	9334 / Mis. F. 259-92	22	Comptroller ...	Requesting him to instruct Messrs. Coutts & Co., London, to pay, on application, to the Manager of the *Asiatic Quarterly Review*, the sum of £2, being the amount of subscription for two copies of the Review for 1901.

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146	9335 / Mis. F. 259-92	22	The Manager of the *Asiatic Quarterly Review*, Woking, England.	Communicating copy of the preceding letter.
147	9337 / Mis. 2044	22	C. Rajagopala Chetti, Esq., Madras.	Forwarding a printed copy of the Official Memorandum, dated the 4th instant, issued by the Census Superintendent of Mysore, in which the question relating to the Vysya community is dealt with.
148	9339 / Mis. 2043	22	Comptroller ..	Stating that R. Nanasami Rao, Personal Assistant to the 2nd Councillor, passed the Revenue and Criminal Examinations of the Mysore Local Service held in November 1896 and November 1897, respectively.
149	9351-53 / P. & A. 903	22	Mr. A. Ananda Rao, Asst. Comr., Dy. Comr., Tumkur, & Comptr.	According sanction to his taking a pony by rail to Shimoga consequent on his transfer to that station.
150	9342-50 / Mis. 2046	23	Census Supt., & Dy. Comrs. of Dts.	Passing orders on the Official Memorandum submitted by the Census Superintendent along with a statement showing briefly the progress of Census work in the several taluks and sub-taluks in the State up to 31st December 1900.
151	9355 / Pol. 367	23	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for transmission to the Collector and District Magistrate, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, a letter from the Vice President, Municipal Commission, Bangalore City, requesting him to direct clerk M. Appu Rao to report himself to the Vice-President for obtaining instructions in connection with the Census work.
152	9356 / Pol. F. 11-1900	23	Do ..	Returning the statement of particulars relating to certain pensioners of the Cochin State and stating that the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore reports that the pensioners in question were mustered and the marks of identification mentioned in the statement were found to be correct.
153	9354 / Pol. 368	24	Do ...	Forwarding two copies of Official Memorandum No. 840, dated 11th idem, issued by the Census Superintendent in Mysore, instructing local officers to take the necessary steps in regard to the taking of the Census on the ceded portions of the Railway lines in Mysore.

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154	9367 / Pol.F.21-98	24	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding the Durbar's confidential report, in duplicate, on Major R. G. Jones, Military Assistant, for the period ending 31st December 1900.
155	9368-69 / Mis.F.17-94	24	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Approving of the grant of three months' privilege leave of absence to the Manager of the Press and also the appointment of D. B. Ramachandra Mudaliar, Head Clerk, to act as Manager in addition to his own duties; and rejecting the petitions from Mr. H. A. Rice, Chief Reviser in the Press, complaining of his supersession in connection with the above arrangement.
156	9372 / Mis.F.31-96	24	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the change of name made by K. Abdul Kuthoos, Hospital Assistant at Tarikere in the Kadur district, to K. Abdul Quddus, and directing that the latter name will be used to indicate him in official records in future.
157	9373 / Mis.F.31-96	24	Senior Surgeon ...	Communicating copy of the above Notification.
158	9374 / Mis.F.31-96	24	Comptroller ..	
159	9384 / Pol. 373	24	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for transmission to the Assistant Adjutant General, Bangalore district, a revised list of branch roads in the Chitaldrug district, received from the Deputy Commissioner of that district.
160	9385 / Pol. 371	26	Do ..	Returning the original of Memo No. 483-E., dated 15th idem, from the Secretary to the Government of India, with the reply of Captain Carr White, executor to the estate of the late Lt. Colonel G. F. Bevan, I. M. S., duly endorsed thereon, stating that the claims referred to would be settled.
161	9386 / Pol. 372	26	Do ..	Forwarding, for transmission to the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, a letter from the President, Municipal Commission, Bangalore City, requesting to be furnished with all the available records connected with the grant of the Race Course Ground to the Race Course Committee.
162	9387 / Mis. 2056	26	Regr., Chief Court ..	Forwarding copy of Official Memorandum No. 892, dated 17th idem, from the Census Superintendent *in re* the objection taken by

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				the Chief Court to the employment of Munsiffs on Census work and their request that the services of the Munsiffs so employed may be limited to the final work alone.
163	9388 / Mis. 2057	26	Sr. Surgn., & Sany. Comr.	Forwarding copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India directing certain alterations to be made in the forms attached to the Annual Provincial Reports on Dispensaries; and requesting to be informed whether the separate report on the dispensaries intended exclusively for females can be submitted for the year ending 30th November 1900.
164	9389 / Mis. 2058	26	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Enquiring whether certain servants, the entertainment of whom by Mr. Devaraj Urs, Assistant Commissioner, was authorised by the Deputy Commissioner in anticipation of Government sanction, were actually entertained, as Mr. Devaraj Urs has been transferred from the Mysore district, and whether any orders are now required in the matter.
165	9396 / Mis. 2065	28	H. Anthony Salmone, Esq., C.I.M., M.R.A.S., Profr. of Arabic, King's College, London.	Requesting that this Government may be registered for one copy of each of his books, *viz.*, (1) *An Arabic-English Grammar and Manual*; and (2) *An Arabic Reader*.
166	9397 / Mis. 2066	28	Inspr. Gen. of Edn...	Communicating copy of the above letter.
167	9401-2 / P. & A. 904	28	Dy. Comr., Kadur, & Comptr.	Sanctioning the travelling allowance bill of the establishment of the General Assistant Commissioner for December 1900.
168	9403-4 / P. & A. 905	28	Do, Shimoga, & do...	Ditto, of the Sagar Sub-Division Officer for November 1900.
169	9405-6 / P. & A. 906	28	Do, Mysore, & do ...	Ditto, a bill for Rs. 81, being the amount of batta due to M. G. Krishnaswami Rao, Acting Amildar of the Yedatore taluk, for his stay at Mysore on special duty in June 1900.
170	9407-8 / P. & A. 907	28	Do ...	Ditto, the travelling allowance bill of Mr. P. Srinivasa Rao, Assistant Commissioner, French Rocks, for October 1900.
171	9409 / G. F. 15-99	28	Excise Comr. ...	Returning the travelling allowance bill of the Excise Inspector of the Huliyar sub-taluk for May 1900, as it is not admissible under the Regulations.

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172	9410-11 / P. & A. 909	28	Dy. Comr., Kadur & Comptr.	Sanctioning the travelling allowance bill of Mr. C. Krishna Rao, Treasury Assistant Commissioner, for November 1900.
173	9412-13 / P. & A. 910	28	Sr. Surgn., & Comptr.	Ditto, of Mr. C. Rajaram Rao, Assistant Surgeon, for September 1900.
174	9414-15 / P. & A. 911	28	Dy. Comr., Hassan, & Comptr.	Ditto, of A. Vedantadesika Iyengar, Amildar of Channarayapatna taluk, for October 1900.
175	9416-17 / P. & A. 912	28	Do, Kolar, & do ..	Sanctioning the payment of an inferior invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem to Sheik Lalameah, late shekdar, Gulur hobli, Bagepalli taluk, with effect from 1st August 1899.
176	9418-19 / P. & A. 913	28	Do, Tumkur, & do...	Ditto, of a superior invalid pension of Rs. 4-8-0 per mensem to Krishnaji Srinivas, late Tank Inspector, Maddagiri taluk, with effect from 24th August 1898.
177	9420-21 / P. & A. 914	28	Supt., Govt. Stny. Depot, & Comptr.	Ditto, of an inferior invalid gratuity of Rs. 56 to Sugriva, late a peon of the Government Stationery Depot, Bangalore.
178	9422-23 / P. & A. 915	28	Regr., Chief Court, & Comptr.	Ditto, of Rs. 96 to Lingannah, late 1st grade process peon, Central Nazir's establishment, Mysore.
179	9424 / P. & A. 916	28	Comptroller ...	Ditto, of an inferior compensation gratuity of Rs. 45 to Sundara, late anche runner, Kadur stage, Kadur taluk.
180	9425-26 / P. & A. 917	28	Dy. Comr., Kolar, & Comptr.	Ditto, of an inferior invalid gratuity of Rs. 66-8-0 to Chinnappa, late a peon of the Extra-Assistant Commissioner's office, Kolar.
181	9464-5 / Mis. F. 38-92	28	Supt., Govt. Printing, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 246-0-10, being the amount of overtime allowance due to the fixed establishment of the Government Press for November 1900.
182	9472 / Mis. 2073	29	Supt., Govt. Stny. Depot, Comptr., & Palace Contr.	Directing that the stationery required for the Palace be supplied by the Superintendent, Government Stationery Depot, on indents from the Palace Controller, the cost of stationery so supplied being debitable to the Palace budget.
183	9475 / Mis. 2074	29	Dir. of Archl. Researches.	Requesting him to send to the Comptroller the cheque for £7-17-5, in favor of the Mysore Government, forwarded to him by Messrs. Archibald Constable & Co., London, on account of copies of the *Mysore Gazetteer* sold by them.
184	9476 / Mis. 2075	29	Comptroller ...	Communicating copy of the above letter.

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185	9495 / Mis. 2077	29	Dy. Comr., Hassan ...	Calling for certain correspondence and also additional information *in re* the proposed utilization of two anche houses in the town of Arsikere for temple purposes.
186	9514 / Pol. F. 354-92	29	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding two lists of persons holding titles conferred on them by the Government of India, as they stood on 1st January 1901.
187	9524-32 / Pol. F. 193-92.	29	Dy. Comrs. of Dts., & Comptr.	Stating that the reports submitted by them showing the condition of the principal stations of the Great Trigonometrical Survey in the Mysore State for 1900 will be tabulated and forwarded to the Residency for transmission to the Deputy Surveyor-General of India; and requesting them to carry out the necessary repairs needed in certain stations and send a consolidated bill of cost for the same.
188	9533 / Pol. F. 193-92	29	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding the report referred to in the above Proceedings together with a copy of the latter.
189	9534-36 / Mis. F. 9-99	29	Supt., Govt. Printing, Comptr., & I. G. of Prisons.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 812-5-0, being the value of type cast at the Government Press and supplied to the Central Jail Press.
190	9581 / Mis. F. 9-99	29	Inspr.Gen. of Prisons.	Forwarding copy of a letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, dated 25th October 1900, and asking him why the old type should not be re-cast at the Government Press, the cost of the operation with a reasonable proportion of cost of establishment being debited to "Jails" and credited to the "Press," with the remark that the casting machine cannot be sent to the Central Jail.
191	9559 / Pol.F. 18-94	30	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Stating that no cases were tried under the European Vagrancy Act in the Mysore State in 1900.
192	9578 / Pol. 376	30	Do ...	Forwarding, for transmission to the Chief Commissariat Officer, Bangalore, a letter, dated 17th instant, from the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, on the subject of the erection of a *bund* within the limits of the Gabbadi kaval by one Ankegauda of Gabbadi village, Kankanhalli taluk, and the diversion of water to flow within the kaval, thereby causing damage to the grass crop.
193	9600 / Mis. 2092	31	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.* ..	Notifying, for general information, that the *International Catalogue of Scientific Literature* proposed to be published in England, will consist of 17 volumes for each year, the cost of each volume being about £1 and that the publication will be sold either in complete series or in single volumes and can be obtained on application through the Government.

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194	9604 / Pol. F.13-1900	31	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Stating that the Durbar will subscribe for two complete sets of the *International Catalogue of Scientific Literature*, and forwarding a copy of the preceding Notification.
195	9602-3 / Mis. F. 162-92	31	Sr Surgn. & Compt.	Sanctioning the retirement from service of Y. Vedanayagam Nadar, 2nd Class Hospital Assistant, with effect from 4th January 1901, as he has been pronounced to be insane and quite unfit for further duty.
196	9607-8 / Mis. 2096	31	Dy. Comr., Mysore, & Ch. Engr.	Permitting the use, temporarily, of a portion of the Government House at Nanjangud, by the Taluk Cutcherry of Nanjangud, owing to the prevalence of plague in the town, with instructions for maintaining the building in its proper condition.
197	9609-10 / Mis. 2095	31	Do ...	Informing, with reference to the copy of the letter from the Superintendent of Post Offices, Mysore Division, requesting permission for locating the Post office of Nanjangud temporarily in a portion of the Government House, owing to prevalence of plague in the town, that only one room can be placed at the disposal of the Postal Superintendent since all the remaining portion of the House has already been otherwise disposed of.
198	9612 / Mis. 2097	31	Chief Engineer ..	Calling for certain information regarding the application of Mr. V. P. Madhava Rao, C.I.E., for a refund of Rs. 172-5-0, being the value, as stated by him, of ventilators, etc., which the Sanitary Engineer removed from the building recently sold to him.
199	9613 / Mis. 2098	31	Military Assistant ...	Forwarding copy of a letter from the Collector and President, District Local Board, Sholapur, to the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident, regarding the bull required by the District Local Board of Sholapur; and requesting that the information required in the letter may be furnished early.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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GENERAL (PLAGUE)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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1	816	2	Plague Comr. ...	Stating that the advance of Rs. 5,000, applied for by the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore district, for gratuitous distribution among persons in the Mysore City left destitute owing to the death of their bread-winners from plague, may be kindly disposed of in the Plague Department.
2	817-9	2	Do, Comptr., and Sr Surgn.	Sanctioning as a special case the grant from 6th November 1900 of a plague allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem to Mr. T. S. Siddappa, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, doing duty as Superintendent of the Ooregum Plague Camp instead of Rs. 30 per mensem, as sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 2840-3—Mis. F. 21-96, dated the 30th August 1898, owing to the dearness of provisions in the Kolar Gold Fields.
3	820	5	Plague Comr. ..	Forwarding, for information, copy of a statement of outlay incurred by the Superintending Engineer, Sanitary Works Department, on Plague Administration during the month of October 1900.
4	821	5	Do ...	Forwarding, for disposal, in continuation of this office No. Pg. 110, dated 24th August 1900, petition No. 1175, dated the 10th December 1900 from H. Siva Rao, Branch Post Master, Herebellalu, Mudgere taluk, praying for the disbursement of the balance of his pay due to him for the period he was employed as a constable on plague duty in the Kadur taluk.
5	824	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying that the village of Jankenahalli in the Arsikere taluk, Hassan district, and the taluk of Shimoga in the Shimoga district, will be deemed to be infected areas under the Epidemic Diseases Regulation.
6	825	8	Plague Comr. ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
7	828	11	Do ..	Forwarding, for favor of opinion, letter No. 470, dated 31st December 1900, from the President, City Municipality, Mysore, soliciting instructions in regard to the payment of compensation to persons dispossessed of houses which were acquired for sanitary improvements in the Mysore City.
8	840	13	Plague Comr. ...	Requesting to instruct the Chief Plague Officer, Mysore City, to discontinue until further orders, sending intimation of plague cases and deaths by means of daily telegrams to the Dewan and to the Assistant Secretary with the Dewan.

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9	851-3	17	Pg. Comr., Comptr., & I. G. of Police.	Sanctioning the disbursement of the pay of the Police staff employed at the Kolar Gold Fields, amounting to Rs. 7-6-8 for one day, *viz.*, 15th November 1899.
10	855	17	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying that the village of Honnavara in the Hassan taluk, Hassan district, will be deemed to be an infected area under the Epidemic Diseases Regulation.
11	856	17	Plague Comr. ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
12	860	19	Do ..	Forwarding, for information, copy of the Resolution of the Government of Bombay, No. 7029 P., dated the 8th December 1900, *re* inoculation statistics of the Ahmednagar district.
13	876	20	Do ...	Forwarding, for information, a copy of the Plague Regulation D. for the prevention of the spread of plague through travellers, issued by the Government of Bengal.
14	877-9	21	Do, Comptr., & Sr Surgn. & Sanitary Comr.	Sanctioning the re-entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 20 per mensem, for a period of six months commencing from 1st January 1901, for the purpose of maintaining the cash and stock accounts in connection with disinfectants, &c., in the Medical Stores at Bangalore.
15	880	21	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying, for general information, that the Government of Madras have prohibited pilgrimages to the Kermudam festival at Mylar, Hadagalli taluk, Bellary district, from 23rd January 1901 to 9th February 1901.
16	881	21	Dy. Comr., Hassan ...	Forwarding copy of the above with a request that wide publicity be at once given to the prohibition.
17	882	21	Do, Shimoga ...	
18	883	21	Do, Kadur ..	
19	884	21	Do, Chitaldrug	
20	885	21	Do, Tumkur ...	
21	886	21	Do, Bangalore ..	
22	887	21	Do, Mysore ..	
23	888	21	Do, Kolar ..	
24	889	21	Plague Comr. ...	Forwarding copy of the above for information.

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25	890	22	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying that the town of Siralkoppa in the Shikarpur taluk of the Shimoga district, declared among other places to be an infected-area in Notification No. Pg. 163, dated the 10th September 1900, having been free from plague for more than two months, is removed from the list of such areas.
26	891	22	Plague Comr. ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
27	894	22	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying that the village of Kesthur, Tumkur taluk, Tumkur district, will be deemed to be an "infected area" under the Epidemic Diseases Regulation.
28	895	22	Plague Comr. ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
29	896	24	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for information of the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, copies of Notifications Nos. Pg. 793, 795, 809 and 824, dated the 24th and 27th December 1900, and 8th January 1901, respectively, issued by the Durbar in connection with plague prevention measures.
30	899	24	Plague Comr. ...	Forwarding, in original, for favor of disposal, petition No. 1409, dated 8th January 1901, from M. A. Srinivasachar and other site-owners of the Basavangudi and Malleswaram extensions, Bangalore City, stating that the progressive rate fixed for the sites in the said extensions as per Proceedings No. 667-71, dated 15th December 1899, causes much difficulty for the site-owners, and praying for the cancellation of the said order.
31	902-3	25	Pg. Comr., & Comptr.	Recording Plague Commissioner's Memo No. Pg. 3174-5, dated the 21st January 1901, approving of the action of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore district, in permitting Krishna Murti Rao, Head Munshi of the 2nd General Assistant Commissioner's office, Bangalore district, whose services were placed at the disposal of the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Bangalore Division for work in connection with the City extensions, to revert to his original post.
32	905	26	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the cancellation, with effect from 1st February 1901, of Notification No. 130, dated the 29th August 1900, constituting the Railway Station at Mysore to be an Inspection Station.
33	906	26	Plague Comr. ..	Copy to Plague Commissioner.
34	907	26	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for the information of the Hon'ble the Resident, a copy of Notification referred to above.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
35	908-10	26	Pg. Comr., Comptr., Sr Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Recording Plague Commissioner's Memo No. 3144-5, dated the 20th January 1901, reporting that the services of the matron entertained under the authority of Proceedings No. Pg. 363-4, dated the 15th October 1900, for the Eraugere Plague Camp, Mysore, were dispensed with from the 1st January 1901.
36	911	26	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of letter No. 261, dated the 18th January 1901, from the Chief Engineer in Mysore, with the intimation that the pay of the overseers deputed for plague duty in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore be debited to the Public Works Department budget.
37	912	26	Plague Comr. ...	Forwarding copy of the above, for information.
38	923	30	Dy. Comr., Kolar.	Requesting him to forward the list of advances made to officials in the Bowringpet taluk for constructing sheds, as promised in his letter No. 2956—480, dated 23rd January 1901.
39	926	30	Plague Comr. ..	Forwarding, for favor of report, letter No. 375, dated the 21st January 1901, from the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore *re* the correct dates on which Messrs. Lakshmanasami and N. Rangachar assumed charge of the plague duty under the Chief Plague Officer, Bangalore City.
40	929	30	Secy., P. W. D. ...	Forwarding, in original, for favor of perusal and return, letter No. 456, dated the 22nd December 1900, from the President, Mysore City Municipality, stating that the cost of preparing plans, &c., for the new extensions in the City, may be met from the loan already sanctioned to the Mysore City Municipality.
41	930	31	Sr Surgn. & Sany. Comr.	Forwarding, for information and disposal, petition No. 1917, dated the 25th January 1901, from V. M. Sadasiva Mudaliar, stating that one Samuel David has found out a cure for treating plague patients and that the same may be given a trial.
42	931-2	31	Dy. Comr., Kadur, & Plague Comr.	Recording letter No. 291, dated the 4th November 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, reporting that the Amildar of Tarikere has wired that a suspicious case of plague has been imported into the Handikere village of the Tarikere taluk, from Shimoga.
43	933	31	Comptroller ...	Forwarding two copies of Proceedings No. Pg. 1251-2, dated the 12th April 1900, and observing that No. Pg. 1253 of the same date has no reference whatever to the two extensions in the Bangalore City and that a copy of the same has, however, been already forwarded to the Comptroller.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE.
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

Exd.—C.V.

EDUCATION

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	8561-62 / Ed. 291	3	I.G. of Edn., & Compt.	Sanctioning the appointment of Y. S. Subba Rao, who is more than 25 years in age, as Assistant Master in the Government Taluk Kannada School, Mysore.
2	8587 / Ed. 293	4	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Forwarding a copy of a letter from the Principal of the Central College, Bangalore, and requesting him to make the necessary enquiries regarding the portion of the chattram adjoining the new Students' Hostel, reported by the Principal to be in an insanitary condition and likely to affect the health of the students living in the Hostel, and report as regards the acquisition of the same portion.
3	8588-9 / Ed. F. 28-96	4	I.G. of Edn., & Compt.	Approving of the list of Village Fund Schools transferred and of those in which the number of masters was increased or decreased during November 1900, and forwarding the same to the Comptroller.
4	8590-91 / Ed. F. 30-96	4	Do ..	Sanctioning the award of a scholarship of Rs. 25 each to P. Anantha Subba Rao, B. A., Headmaster, Birur Anglo-Vernacular School, and K. Venkatakrishnaiengar, B. A., Headmaster, Tarikere Anglo-Vernacular School, tenable at the Teachers' College, Madras, from 1st January 1901 to 10th March 1902, to enable them to pass the L. T. Degree Examination.
5	8654 / Ed. 297	5	Comptroller ..	Requesting him to report if one-half of the pay of Mr. Weir, Principal of the Maharaja's College, Mysore, for that portion of November 1900 during which he was on duty, can be paid at 1*s.* 6*d.* per rupee, the other half being paid at the current rate of exchange, and, if so, what arrangements he would propose to make towards the payment of the same as well as the furlough allowance to Mr. Weir in London.

SERIAL NO.	Proceedings. No.	Date.	To whom sent.	Subject and Order.
6	8726-27 / Ed. 304	7	I.G. of Edn., & Compt.	Sanctioning the appointment of Safurbai a Mistress of the newly sanctioned Hindustan Girls' School at Kempanhalli in the Kunigal taluk on Rs. 7 per mensem, with effect from 9th April 1900.
7	8728 / Ed. 300	7	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of two days' casual leave of absence to Mr. A. K. Syed Taj Peeran B. A., Deputy Inspector of Hindustani Schools in Mysore.
8	8729 / Ed. 301	7	Inspr., Gen. of Edn.	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
9	8730 / Ed. 302	7	Comptroller ..	
0	8731-32 / Ed. 303	7	I.G. of Edn., & Comp.	Sanctioning the utilization of the monthly grant of Rs. 7 sanctioned in July 1899 for the employment of an additional assistant master in the Hindi Boys' School at Bagepalli.
1	8717 / Ed. 309	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of casual leave of absence for 15 days to Mr. K. Rangappa, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Kolar district; and directing that Mr. H. N. Venkataramaiya B. A., Assistant Deputy Inspector, will do the duties of the Deputy Inspector in addition to his own during the Deputy Inspector's absence.
2	8718 / Ed. 310	8	Inspr. Gen. of Edn....	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
3	8719 / Ed. 311	8	Comptroller ...	
4	8722 / Ed. 305	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the appointment of Miss G. L. Palethorpe, of Newnham College, Cambridge, as Lady Superintendent of the Maharani's Girls' College on probation for six months with effect from her joining the appointment.
5	8723 / Ed. 306	8	Inspr. Gen. of Edn....	Forwarding copy of the above Notification with the intimation that the pay of Miss G. L. Palethorpe as Lady Superintendent of the Maharani's College is fixed at Rs. 400 per mensem rising by annual increments of Rs. 20 to Rs. 500, besides an allowance of Rs. 60 per mensem for house-rent.
6	8724 / Ed. 306	8	Comptroller ..	Ditto ditto.

Serial No.	Proceedings. No.	Date.	To whom sent.	Subject and Order.
17	8793 / Ed. 313	10	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*..	Notifying the grant of privilege leave of absence on half pay for three months to Mr. J. G. Tait, M. A., Professor of English, Central College, Bangalore, with effect from 8th March 1900, and of a further leave of absence without allowance for four days from the 8th to the 11th of June 1900.
18	8794 / Ed. 214	10	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
19	8795 / Ed. 315	10	Prinpl., Cent. Coll., Bangalore.	
20	8796 / Ed. 316	10	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of furlough for six months to Mr. J. G. Tait, Professor of English, Central College, Bangalore, with effect from the 17th instant, or from such other date as he may avail himself of it.
21	8797 / Ed. 317	10	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
22	8798 / Ed. 318	10	Prinpl., Cent. Coll.	Ditto, with the observation that the proposals promised regarding the teaching arrangement owing to Mr. Tait's absence will be awaited.
23	8871 / Ed. 320	11	Inspr. Gen. of Edn.	Informinghim that the errors pointed out by him in the printed copies of the Progressive Appointments of the Education Department as they stood on 1st July 1900, have been corrected.
24	8872-3 / Ed. F. 8-96	11	Do, & Comptr. ...	Sanctioning the appointment of Sivasankara Sastri as the Sanskrit Munshi in the High School at Channapatna on Rs. 20 per mensem, with effect from 1st January 1901.
25	9071 / Ed. 327	17	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the extension of the leave granted on medical certificate to Mr. T. R. Venkatasami Naidu, B. A., Assistant to the Inspector General of Education, in Notification No. 7223—Ed. 244, dated 23rd November 1900, to one month and nine days.
26	9072 / Ed. 328	17	Inspr. Gen. of Edn.	Forwarding copy of the above Notification.
27	9073 / Ed. 329	17	Comptroller ...	

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
28	9074 / Ed. 325	17	Inspr. Gen. of Edn.	Stating that casual leave for more than five days at a time cannot be granted to Educational Officers, and that Articles 172 and 173 of the Mysore Service Regulations cannot be made applicable to them; while privilege leave on half pay may be granted to them in case of urgent necessity under Article 203 of the said Regulations.
29	9155-57 / Ed. 330	17	Do, Prinl., Cent. Coll., & Comptr.	Declining to sanction the Inspector General's proposal to treat the "ten days' casual leave" to which Educational Officers are entitled as "ten *working* days."
30	9318 / Ed. 333	22	Inspr. Gen. of Edn.	Declining to grant a bonus of Rs. 5,000 to Messrs. Rudrappa & Son, applied for by them, in consideration of the services rendered by them to Kannada literature by publishing translations of the Mahabharata, Ramayana and Bhagavata.
31	9375-6 / Ed. 334	25	Princpl., Cent. Coll., & Comptr.	Sanctioning certain temporary arrangements made among the teaching staff of the Central College owing to the absence on furlough of Mr. J. G. Tait, Professor of English.
32	9390-91 / Ed. F. 22-96	28	Inspr. Gen. of Edn., & Ch. Engr.	Informing the Chief Engineer, with reference to his letter recommending the transfer of Mr. O. V. Norris from the Public Works Department to the Education Department, that the Government have no intention of opening any Engineering classes in connection with the Industrial School at Mysore, and that the subject will be considered in connection with a larger scheme that the Government have in view.
33	9466-67 / Ed. 337	28	Do. & Compt.	Sanctioning certain temporary arrangements proposed to be made during the absence of Mr. M. Krishnaiengar, Head Master of the Channapatna High School, on other duty.
34	9468 / Ed. 336	28	I. G. of Prisons ...	Forwarding an extract from a joint memo, dated 14th instant, submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore district, the Principal of the Central College and the Executive Engineer of the Bangalore Division, *in re* the proposed extension of the Students' Hostel grounds, together with a rough plan in original of the lands proposed to be acquired; and requesting the Inspector General of Prisons to express his opinion thereon.

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	No.	Dt.	To whom sent.	
35	9496 / Ed. 339	29	Complr., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave of absence for 25 days to Mr. K. Rangappa, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Kolar district, with effect from the 14th January 1901 and the cancellation of the casual leave of absence for 15 days originally granted to him under Notification No. 8717—Ed. 309, dated 8th January 1901; and directing Mr. H. N. Venkataramanaiah, B. A., Assistant Deputy Inspector, to do the duties of the Deputy Inspector in addition to his own, during the absence of the latter.
36	9497 / Ed. 339	29	Inspr. Genl. of Edn.	Communicating copy of the above Notification.
37	9498 / Ed. 340	29	Comptroller ...	
38	9499-500 / Ed.F. 28-96	29	I.G.of Edn., & Compt.	Approving of the list of Village Fund Schools transferred and of those in which the number of masters was increased or decreased in December 1900; and forwarding the same to the Comptroller for note and return.
39	9501-2 / Ed.F. 19-96	29	Do ..	Sanctioning the proposed distribution of the amount of Rs. 30,000 sanctioned for buildings in August 1900.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
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JUDICIAL

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	8569 / J. 950	3	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Passing orders regarding the non-institution of proceedings against certain persons concerned in an infant marriage which took place at Gundangere, Bangalore district, and whose prosecution was sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 10876—J. 1192, dated 21st March 1896.
2	8565 / J. 951	3	Do ..	Intimating that the Government of India have sanctioned the purchase of 74 breech-loading, smooth, bore carbines for the use of the Police force in the Kolar Gold Fields.
3	8567-68 / J. 953	3	Dy Comr., Hassan, & Regr., Chief Court.	Recording petition, dated the 28th November 1900, from Ranganna and others of Hole-Narsipur, acknowledging the receipt of Government Endorsement No. 3484—360, dated 4th September 1900, to the effect that the complaints made against Mr. Krishnaswamaiengar, Munsiff of their place, were unfounded and representing that not one of them has put in his signature to any petition against the said Munsiff.
4	8613 / J. 954	4	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Forwarding, for favor of early report, copy of a letter from the First Assistant to the Resident, *in re* the strength of the existing Police force on the Birur-Shimoga Railway.
5	8614 / J. 955	4	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Calling for certain information on the subject of his application for the grant of Rs. 4,869-15-0, being the cost incurred for the preparation of certain books for the Registration Department.
6	8615 / J. 956.	4	Regr., Chief Court ...	Recording his letter submitting a statement showing the number of Civil suits from Birur town filed in the Shimoga Sub-Judge's Court during the last three years; and observing that the state of the file hardly justifies the representation made by certain residents of Birur town in favor of the re-establishment of the Sub-Judge's Court at Shimoga.
7	8616 / J. 957	4	Seshagiriyappa and ors. of Birur town.	Communicating the above observation.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
8	8617 / J. 958	4	Regr., Chief Court ..	Forwarding, for information, a copy of the Re solution of the Government of Bombay, re ceived through the Residency, accepting th proposal of the Durbar *re* the transmissio for service or execution direct to the Court concerned of summonses or commission issued by the Courts situated beyond th limits of the Mysore State.
9	8618-19 / J. 959	4	I. G. of Prisons, & Comptr.	Sanctioning, with certain modifications, th transfers and promotions among the Ja officials consequent on the appointment c Mr. Hayes, Chief Jailor, Bangalore Centra Jail, as Extra Assistant Commissioner.
10	8640 / J. 960	5	Inspr. Gen. of Police	Calling for the entire records connected wit the order of dismissal of Ramaiya, dafada of the Royalpad station.
11	8641 / J. 961	5	Dt. Magte., Kolar ...	Calling for the records in Criminal Case No. 3 of 1899-1900 (Government *versus* Ramaiya on the file of the 2nd Assistant Commis sioner and 1st Class Magistrate, Kolar dis trict.
12	8673 / J. 962	7	First Asst. to Resdt.	Stating that as the two constables who wer successively deputed to identify the prisone Kagal Venkatramana undergoing imprisor ment in the Trichinopoly Jail have failed t identify him and as no other means for th prisoner's identification is reported to b available, the application made in this offic letter No. C. 113, dated 8th June 1900, fo the surrender of the said prisoner may b considered to have been withdrawn.
13	8674 / J. 963	7	Dt. Magte., Kolar ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
14	8675 / J. 964	7	Do, Chitaldrug ..	Intimating that the Hon'ble the Resident ha issued an extradition warrant to the Distric Magistrate of Anantapur for the surrende of Padmasala Thimma, accused of havin committed the offence of theft or receivin stolen property, to the Police Inspector of th Challakere taluk at Challakere.
15	8676 / J. 965	7	Do, Mysore ..	Forwarding, for information, copy of an expor license under the Arms Act granted to S. S shachalla Chetty, Madras.
16	8677 / J. 966	7	Do, Chitaldrug ..	Ditto to Messrs. Gulam Hussain Ali Bhoy Sons, Bombay.
17	8678 / J. 967	7	Do, Kolar ..	Ditto to Messrs. King, King & Co., Bombay.

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18	8679 / J. 968	7	Dt. Magte., Mysore.	Forwarding, for information, copy of an export license under the Arms Act granted to Messrs. Oakes & Co., Madras.
19	8680 / J. 969	7	Do, Kolar ..	
20	8681 / J. 970	7	Do ..	
21	8682 / J. 971	7	Do ...	
22	8683 / J. 972	7	Do ...	
23	8685 / J. 974	7	Do, Kadur .	
24	8684 / J. 973	7	Do ...	Ditto to Messrs. P. Orr & Sons, Madras.
25	8686 / J. 975	7	Do, Hassan .	
26	8693 / J. 976	7	Do, Shimoga ..	Returning, duly countersigned, a license under the Arms Regulation, issued to Javali Gurubassappa of Kumsi sub-taluk.
27	8708 / J. 977	8	Sr Surgn, &c., in Ch. of Lunatic Asylum.	Returning the official visitors' book regarding the lunatics of the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.
28	8710 / J. 979	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of casual leave of absence for 14 days with effect from 20th December 1900, to Mr. Mir Humza Hussain, Superintendent of Police.
29	8711 / J. 980	8	Inspr. Gen. of Police	Forwarding copy of the above and requesting that the Comptroller's certificate showing the extent of privilege leave to which Mr. Humza Hussain is entitled, may be obtained and submitted.
30	8712 / J. 981	8	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
31	8713 / J. 982	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of casual leave of absence for five days to Mr. C. Narain Rao, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kolar, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of the same.
32	8714 / J. 983	8	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Forwarding copy of the above and requesting that the date on which Mr. C. Narain Rao avails himself of the above may be intimated to the Comptroller direct.
33	8715 / J. 984	8	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.

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34	8759 / J. 985	9	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Requesting him, with reference to his application for privilege leave on behalf of Mr. Mir Humza Hussain, Superintendent of Police, to forward the Comptroller's certificate as in its absence it is not possible for Government to pass orders on the application.
35	8761 / J. 986	9	Do ...	Returning unsanctioned the bill for Rs. 160, being the cost incurred for a uniform prepared for the Deputy Inspector General of Police, and calling for certain particulars.
36	8785 / J. 993	10	Dt. Magte., Kolar ...	Forwarding copy of an export license under the Arms Act granted to Messrs. Oakes & Co., Madras.
37	8786 / J. 994	10	Do ...	
38	8787 / J. 995	10	Do ...	
39	8788 / J. 996	10	Do ...	
40	8789 / J. 997	10	Do ...	
41	8790 / J. 998	10	Do ..	
42	8791 / J. 999	10	Do, Hassan ...	
43	8792 / J. 1000	10	Do, Tumkur ..	Ditto to Messrs. N. V. Ramanujam & Co., Madras.
44	8841 / J. 1001	10	Do, Kolar ...	Intimating that the Hon'ble the Resident has issued an extradition warrant to the District Magistrate of Anantapur for the surrender of Nyamat Khan, accused of murder, to the Police Inspector of the Goribidnur taluk at Goribidnur.
45	8865 / J. 1005	11	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Forwarding, for necessary action, a descriptive roll of life-convict Bolai Sikdar, who escaped from Port Blair and for whose apprehension a warrant has been issued by the Superintendent of Port Blair.
46	8866 / J. 1006	11	Regr., Chief Court ..	Requesting him to remove from the list of unanswered references pending with Government, his letter No. 133—10, dated 8th July 1897, recommending the grant of malnad

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				allowances to the officers of the Judicial Department, as the matter is reserved for consideration in connection with the general question of granting malnad allowances to all officials in the malnad.
47	8867 / J. 1007	11	Dt. Magte., Shimoga	Requesting to nominate an Advocate in place of Mr. E. Sundram Iyer, Public Prosecutor, Shimoga Division, who has applied for leave, and report the fact for orders of Government.
48	8868 / J. 1008	11	Mr. E. Sundram Iyer	Forwarding copy of the above.
49	8908 / J. 1009	11	Dt. Magte., Tumkur.	Requesting him to re-submit through the Chief Court his recommendation for the investiture of certain 3rd Class Magistrates in his district with power to try forest offences.
50	8909 / J. 1010	11	Do, Kolar ..	Intimating that the Hon'ble the Resident has issued an extradition warrant to the District Magistrate of North Arcot for the surrender of Sakala Gopaligadu, who is accused of having committed the offence of theft, to the Police Inspector of the Kolar taluk at Kolar.
51	8917-18 / J. 1011	12	Regr., Chief Court, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 504-14-6 in favor of the Bangalore Printing and Publishing Company, being the amount of charges incurred by them for printing and binding 300 copies of the Mysore Chief Court Reports, Volume IV (1899).
52	8961 / J. 1012	12	Regr. of Joint Stock Cos.	Forwarding a copy of letter from the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, regarding the submission of the monthly returns of paid-up capital of companies, and requesting that the returns referred to may be submitted so as to reach this office on the 2nd of the month following that to which they relate.
53	8982 / J. 1012½	15	Dt. Magte., Hassan	Returning, duly countersigned, five licenses under the Arms Regulation issued to Abdul Razak Saib and four others.
54	8981 / J. 1013	15	Do ...	Ditto a license ditto issued to Imamudin Sab of Arsikere.
55	8980 / J. 1014	15	Do, Shimoga ...	Ditto a license ditto issued to Iswarappaswami.

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56	8996 / J. 1015	15	Dt. Magte., Kolar.	Inviting his attention to the amended Section 5 of the Rules referred to, which authorizes the Magistrates to direct the detention of a lunatic in the nearest Jail or Civil Hospital for medical observation; and enquiring what the difficulty is in dealing with such cases, if any, under the amended Section.
57	8995 / J. 1016	15	Do, Shimoga. ..	Enquiring whether the Taluk Sheristadar of the Shimoga taluk, who is reported to have been assaulted by Mr. Jan Forbes Mackay, has been told to take action against him in a Court in British India and what the cost of the prosecution is likely to be.
58	9049 / J. 1017	16	Do, Mysore ...	Forwarding copy of an export license under the Arms Act granted to the Army and Navy Co-operative Society, Limited, Bombay.
59	9100 / J. 1018	17	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave for three months to Mr. Mahomed Jaffer, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Hassan district, from such date as he may avail himself of the same; and appointing Mr. Y. V. Krishnamurti, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, to act as Assistant Superintendent of Police, Hassan district, during the absence of Mr. Mahomed Jaffer.
60	9101 / J. 1019	17	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Communicating the above.
61	9102 / J. 1020	17	Comptroller ...	
62	9099 / J. 1021	17	Inspr. Gen. of Regn.	Recording the statement of leave granted to Special Sub-Registrars during the quarter ending 31st December 1900.
63	9097-98 / J. 1022	17	Govt. Advocate & Dt. Magte., Mysore.	Directing the Government Advocate to present an appeal to the Chief Court against the order of acquittal passed by the Sessions Judge, Ashtagram Division, in Criminal Appeal No. 35 of 1899-1900 on the file of his Court.
64	9190 / J. 1023	18	Dt. Magte., Kolar ...	Requesting to be informed of the date of acquittal of Mallechinnaga, Malleganga and Peddachinniga.
65	9191 / J. 1024	18	Do, Mysore ..	Requesting that certain records may be forwarded to the Registrar, Chief Court, and the same reported to this office.
66	9195 / J. 1025	18	Sessions Judge, Mysore Dn.	Communicating copy of the above.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
67	9122-93 / J. 1026	18	I.G. of Police, & Compt.	Passing orders on the appointment of Mr. Beveridge saying that his appointment was a temporary one from the beginning and as such he may be informed that his services will not be required when the Police Training School re-opens on the 15th March 1901, unless he is willing to continue on the same terms as before.
68	9194 / J. 1028	18	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for adjustment, two bills amounting to Rs. 1,540-7-2, being the cost of maintenance and custody of the lunatics and lepers of the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, confined in the State Asylum, Bangalore.
69	9243 / J. 1029	19	Do	Complaining against the non-return of the summons issued by the Munsiff of Kolar Gold Fields, from the District Munsiff of Jalar of the Jhodpur district, Marwar.
70	9244 / J. 1030	19	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Forwarding a letter from the District Superintendent of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, stating that the Gold Fields Magistrate should have handed over the prisoner in question to the nearest Police station within the British Territory and not to the Railway Police in the Mysore State.
71	9245 / J. 1031	19	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding special report of the Official Visitors on criminal lunatics of the Civil and Military Station, confined in the State Asylum, Bangalore, for the half year ending 31st December 1900.
72	9246 / J. 1032	19	Do ..	Forwarding, Official Visitors' Book regarding the lunatics of the Civil and Military Station, confined in the State Asylum, Bangalore.
73	9247 / J. 1033	19	Do ...	Forwarding a statement of Joint Stock Companies, showing the Paid-up Capital of Companies in the Mysore State, for December 1900.
74	9248-9 / J. 1034	19	Regr., Chief Court, & I. G. of Regn.	Informing that the Government are not prepared to legislate in the matter of notice of attachment of lands by Civil Courts being given to the Registration office.
75	9250-1 / J. 1035	19	Comptr., & Dy. Comr., Mysore.	Sanctioning Mr. P. F. Bowring's first increment of Rs. 50 as City Magistrate, Mysore, with effect from the 13th February 1900.
76	9264 / J. 1036	19	Regr., Chief Court ...	Returning, for favor of opinion, the memorial of convict Murugan sentenced to death.

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77	9433-34 / J. 1039	26	Inspr. Gen. of Police, & Ch. Comdt.	Passing final orders in the matter of the disturbance which took place at the gate of Jaganmohan Palace, Mysore, on the 7th June 1900, and directing that the three guns kept in Police custody may be returned to the Military Department.
78	9435-37 / J. 1040	26	Inspr. Gen. of Police, do of Prisons & of Regn.	Circulating a copy of a hand book of instructions for the classifications and use of finger-prints for perusal and return.
79	9438-40 / J. 1041	26	Pg. Comr., Comptr., & I. G. of Police.	Directing that the increase sanctioned to Inspector Nagavkar in Government Proceedings No. 209-10—J. 20, dated 5th July 1898, be given effect to from the date of the said Order.
80	9428 / J. 1042	26	Dt. Magte., Kolar ...	Returning the records of the case regarding the surrender of K. Venkatarama *alias* Venkatiga and Lachmiga.
81	9441-2 / J. 1043	26	Inspr. Gen. of Re gn. & Comptr.	Approving of the Inspector General's proposals to introduce the system of the taking finger-impressions for the present in the Sub-Registry offices of the Bangalore City, Bangalore taluk and Channapatna taluk, as a temporary measure.
82	9429 / J. 1044	26	Regr. of Joint Stock Companies in Mysore.	Forwarding a copy of the Resolution of the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department No. 6130—S. R., reviewing the Working of the Indian Companies Act, during 1899-1900.
83	9443 / J. 1045	26	Regr., Chief Court ..	Forwarding, for favor of opinion, a letter from the District and Sessions Judge, Ashtagram Division, recommending that the pay of Mr. Raja Rao, Public Prosecutor of that Division, may not be reduced.
84	9444 / J. 1046	26	Do ..	Requesting that the Chief Court may issue suitable instructions to the Magistracy in the matter of the complaint of the Kolar Gold Fields Mining Board as to the non-payment of expenses of witnesses summoned to give expert evidence of a technical nature before Criminal Courts.
85	9430 / J. 1047	26	Do ...	Calling for a report after a careful enquiry as to how the amount of Rs. 390 referred to has been misappropriated in the Principal Munsiff's Court, Bangalore.
86	9445 / J. 1048	26	Medl. Offr. in charge of the Lunatic Asylum, Bangalore.	Recording the special report upon Criminal Lunatics confined in the Asylum, by the official visitors for the half year ending 31st December 1900.

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87	9446 / J. 1049	26	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of seven days' casual leave to Mr. V. A. Rajaratna Mudaliar, Registrar, Chief Court, with effect from the 15th January 1901.
88	9447 / J. 1050	26	Regr., Chief Court ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
89	9448 / J. 1051	26	Comptroller ..	
90	9449-50 / J. 1053	26	Inspr. Gen. of Police, & Comptr.	Recording the statement showing particulars of rewards for good service granted by the Inspector General of Police for the quarter ending 30th June 1900.
91	9456 / J. 1055	26	First Asst. to Resdt.	Intimating that there is no objection to the release of life-convict Srikantaiya from the Andamans.
92	9503-4 / J. 1056	29	Inspr. Gen. of Police, & Comptr.	Accepting the resignation of Mr. F. S. Hay, Assistant Superintendent of Police, with effect from the date of expiry of the leave granted to him in Government Notification No. 1192—J. 125, dated 25th July 1900.
93	9505-6 / J. 1057	29	Do ..	Sanctioning the retirement of Sanjiva Pille, Sub-Inspector of Police, Kolar Gold Fields, with effect from the 15th November 1899.
94	9507-8 / J. 1058	29	Do ..	Allowing Mr. G. Hume Wright, Deputy Inspector General of Police, to draw a batta of Rs. 5 per diem and travelling allowances at eight annas a mile, during the period of his employment as Deputy Inspector General of Police.
95	9509 / J. 1059	29	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Forwarding, for signature and return, a requisition in duplicate received from the Ordnance Officer, Madras Arsenal, for 74 carbines for the use of the Police force on the Kolar Gold Fields.
96	9510 / J. 1060	29	Do ...	Informing that 15 copies of the Report on Police Administration for 1898-99 were forwarded to him on the 7th instant from this office.
97	9513 / J. 1063	29	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding a statement showing the result of the trial of persons surrendered to the Durbar under the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act XXI of 1878, for the half year ending 31st December 1900.
98	9561-64 / J. 1064	29	Dt. Magte., Shimoga, Dt. & Sess. Judge, Nagar Dn., Comptr. & Mr. B. Guru Rao, Advocate, Shimoga.	Appointing Mr. B. Guru Rao, Advocate, Shimoga, to act on full pay as Public Prosecutor of Nagar Division, during the absence of Mr. E. Sundaram Iyer on leave or until further orders.

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99	9565 / J. 1065	30	First. Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for favor of adjustment, a bill for Rs. 5,246-11-1, being the cost of maintenance of the prisoners of the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, confined in the Bangalore Central Jail, during the year 1900.
100	9566-67 / J. 1066	30	Regr., Chief Court, & Comptr.	Sanctioning the temporary promotion of Mr. N. T. Gopala Iyengar, B. A., LL. B., Munsif of Nanjangud, from the 3rd to the 2nd Class *vice* Mr. D. M. Narasinga Rao, B. A., B. L. appointed to act as Assistant Commissioner with effect from the date of the latter's transfer to the Revenue Department.
101	9568 / J. 1067	30	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the above.
102	9569 / J. 1068	30	Regr., Chief Court ...	Communicating a copy of the above.
103	9570 / J. 1069	30	Comptroller ...	
104	9571 / J. 1070	30	Dt. Magte., Kadur ...	Forwarding for information copy of an export license granted by the Commissioner of Police, Madras, to Messrs. Oakes & Co., Madras
105	9572 / J. 1071	30	Do, Kolar ..	Ditto ditto
106	9573 / J. 1072	30	Do ...	
107	9574 / J. 1073	30	Do, Hassan ..	Returning, duly countersigned six, licenses under the Arms Regulation.
108	9575 / J. 1074	30	Do ...	Ditto seven licenses ditto
109	9576 / J. 1075	30	Do, Mysore ...	Ditto twelve licenses ditto
110	9577 / J. 1076	30	Do, Bangalore ..	Ditto two licenses ditto
111	9587 / J. 1078	31	Do, Shimoga ...	Calling for further particulars regarding the prosecution of Mr. J. F. Mackay, reported to have committed an assault on the Talul Sheristadar of the Shimoga taluk.

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Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

LEGISLATIVE

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	8800 / Legis. 72	10	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Stating that spare copies of Jagannatha Aiyer's Stamp Act are not available in this office, and authorising him, as a special case, to purchase a copy from his office contingencies.
2	8801 / Legis. 73	10	Dt. Magte., Kolar ...	Forwarding six copies of Government Proceedings No. 8028-9—Legis. 64, dated 14th December 1900, observing that persons who do not manufacture articles of, but merely trade in, gold are not "goldsmiths" within the meaning of the Mines Regulation, 1897.
3	8891 / Legis. 74	11	Secy. to Govt., Geol. Dept.	Forwarding one copy of the above, for information.
4	9077 / Legis. 75	17	Regr., Ch. Court ..	Requesting to be favored with a further expression of the opinions of the Judges of the Chief Court on the question of omitting from the Draft Succession Certificate Regulation the reference to securities, &c., of the Government of India.
5	9078 / Legis. 76	17	Comptroller ...	Requesting the favor of early information on certain points relating to the realisation of securities of the Government of India held by persons in Mysore.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	8579-80 / L. F. 42-99	4	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Mysore, & Compt.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 9-6-0, being the cost of five reams of Badami paper for printing toll-gate receipt books.
2	8777 / L. F. 201-96	10	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Kolar.	Recording his communication stating that certain works were sanctioned from Local Funds General and that they were by mistake entered under Municipal works instead of under Local Funds General in the statement of works inspected by the Assistant Commissioners during the quarter ended 31st December 1899.
3	8858 / L. F. 29-00	11	Do ..	Calling for additional information in regard to the list of incomplete works of previous years undertaken from Local Funds General.
4	8862 / L. F. 104-92	11	Do, Hassan ..	Recording, with certain observations, his letter stating that as the information about Amrut Mahal bulls was omitted to be given in the previous reports, the same was lost sight of in the Administration Report for 1898-99, and that such information will be embodied in future reports.
5	8967 / L. F. 47-99	15	Do, Chitaldrug ...	Calling for certain particulars being entered in the bill for purchasing tape for the use of Amildars and Deputy Amildars in the district.
6	8970 / L.F.77A-94	15	Do, Bangalore ...	Requesting that the estimate for sinking a well in the Hennagara village of the Anekal taluk may be caused to be written in English and re-submitted.
7	8972-8 / L.F.40-1900	15	Presdts. of the several L.F.Bds. except Kolar.	Forwarding for opinion copy of a letter from the President, District Fund Board, Kolar district, recommending that three prizes of Rs. 10, 7 and 3, respectively, may be awarded annually to kotwals of travellers' bungalows for the best kept compounds and gardens as an inducement to them to keep the gardens and compounds of such bungalows in proper order.

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8	8983 / L. F. 40-00	15	Presdt., L. F. Bd., Kolar.	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
9	8997 / L. F. 17-99	16	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Kolar.	Approving of the Draft Bye-laws for regulating and licensing shops and stalls used for the sale of meat, fish, fruits and vegetables, &c., within the area of the Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Circle.
10	9083 / L. F. 21-00	17	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Forwarding the District Fund Administration Report of the Tumkur Circle for 1899-1900, and requesting that 120 copies of the same may be caused to be printed.
11	9084 / L. F. 21-00	17	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Tumkur.	Returning certain enclosures of the above report for being re-copied on one side of the paper and re-submitted.
12	9096 / L. F. 19-00	17	Do, Hassan ...	Recording his communication stating that as no coolies came forward to work at the Yelagunda tank, the work was stopped.
13	9209 / L. F. 247-96	18	Do, Mysore ...	Requesting him to take steps for the election of an Inamdar-member for the District Fund Board of the Mysore Circle and to report the result to Government.
14	9267-8 / L. F. 203-93	21	Sr. Surgn., & Presdt., D. F. Bd., Bangalore.	Sanctioning the establishment of a Local Fund Dispensary at Whitefield.
15	9271-2 / L. F. 41-99	21	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Tumkur, & Comptr.	According sanction to an annual grant of Rs. 20, beginning from the current year, for expenditure on conservancy and sanitation during the jatra at Dodda Dalavatta in the Maddagiri taluk.
16	9380 / L. F. 43-99	26	Presdt., L. F. Bd., Mysore.	Enquiring when, under what authority and on what pay the Local Fund gumasta in the Nagamangala taluk was entertained.
17	9478 / L.F.21-1900	29	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Forwarding the District Fund Administration Report of the Kadur Circle for 1899-1900, and requesting that 120 copies thereof may be caused to be printed and eight interleaved copies sent to this office.
18	9479 / L.F.21-1900	29	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Bangalore.	Returning certain enclosures to the District Fund Administration Report of the Bangalore Circle for 1899-1900, for being re-copied on one side and re-submitted.

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19	9482-4 / L. F. 44-99	29	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Hassan, Comptr., & Sr. Surgn.	Sanctioning three bills amounting to Rs. 31-8-8 on account of articles supplied to the midwives at Yeslurpete, Hole-Narsipur and Alur.
20	9489-90 / L. F. 61-99	29	Do, Kadur, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a second revised estimate amounting to Rs. 1,730 for sinking a draw well in the old petta at Yedahalli.
21	9492 / L. F. 23-99	29	Do, Mysore ...	Enquiring if the Board have approved of the entertainment of a sweeper for the musafirkhana at Bettadapur.
22	9537-8 / L. F. 23-99	30	Do, & do ...	Sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 1,529, for repairing the remaining 3½ miles of Madapur-Kaliyur road leading to Kollegal in T.-Narsipur taluk.
23	9542 / L. F. 45-99	30	Do, Shimoga ..	Enquiring when, at what cost and from what funds the travellers' bungalow at Siralkoppa in the Shikarpur taluk was built.
24	9547 / L. F. 15-97	30	Compl., *Mysore Gaz*...	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, proceedings of the District Fund Board of the Tumkur Local Fund Circle, at a meeting held on 15th December 1900.
25	9548 / L. F. 15-97	30	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Tumkur.	Forwarding copy of the above.
26	9551 / L.F. 220-96	30	Comptroller ...	Returning, as requested, the District Fund monthly account for June 1900, as also the annual accounts (preliminary); and requesting the early submission of the final accounts.
27	9556 / L.F.21-1900	30	Supt., Govt. Printing	Forwarding the District Fund Administration Report of the Bangalore Circle for 1899-1900, and requesting that 120 copies of the same may be caused to be printed.
28	9557 / L.F.21-1900	30	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Bangalore.	Requesting the early submission of certain enclosures to the preceding.
29	9586 / L. F.197-96	31	Do, Shimoga ..	Recording, with certain observation, his letter communicating the circumstances under which statements of Municipal and Local Fund works inspected by the Sub-Division Officer, Sagar, during the quarters ending 30th June and 30th September 1900, have not been submitted.
30	9590 / L. F. 45-96	31	Do, Mysore ..	Approving of the action taken by him in ordering the Amildars of certain taluks, where toll-gates exist, not to levy tolls on carts carrying

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				gravel, &c., for Government roads, provided the cartmen are in possession of a certificate from the Head of the Department to which they belong.
31	9591-2 / L.F. 116-96	31	Presdt., D. F. Bd., Bangalore, & Comptr.	Sanctioning six bills amounting in all to Rs. 56-6-2, for certain articles for the use of mid-wives in the district.
32	9605-6 / L. F. 216-96	31	Dy. Comr., Kolar, & Comptr.	Sanctioning two bills, one for Rs. 114-7-2 on account of expenses incurred for sanitary purposes in the Gold Fields during the months of October, November and December 1899, and the other for Rs. 2, being the cholera expenditure incurred in March 1899.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

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L. B. B.—MUNICIPAL FUNDS

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	8551 / L. F. 1-1900	3	Secy. to Govt. for Rys.	Transferring for disposal a letter from the President, Mysore City Municipality, stating that the new approach road to the Mysore Railway Station and the temporary gate recently constructed by the Railway authorities are more convenient to passengers, and requesting that the Railway authorities may be addressed to make permanent the said temporary gate.
2	8552 / L. F. 172-93	3	Presdt., Hassan Muns.	Passing certain observations in regard to the proposal to increase the pay of the vaccinator of the Hassan town.
3	8577-8 / L. F. 60-99	4	Do, Chitaldrug, and Comptr.	Passing certain provisions tentatively allowed to stand in the current year's Municipal budget of the Chitaldrug district.
4	8628-9 / L. F. 226-96	5	Do, Bangalore City Muni. Comn., &do.	According sanction to the proposal made by the City Municipal Board to appoint separate men for the posts of Market Sergeant and the Hackney Carriage Inspector and to fix their pay at Rs. 15 and Rs. 20 + 15 (horse allowance), respectively, per mensem.
5	8630-31 / L. F. 59-99	5	Do, Kadur, Muns, &do.	According sanction to the remuneration payable to village servants for the collection of Municipal taxes in the several municipalities of the Kadur district except Sringeri, during 1898-99 and 1899-1900, amounting to Rs. 1,457-6-10.
6	8634 / L. F. 3-1900	5	Do, Bangalore City Muni. Comn.	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of October 1900.
7	8635 / L. F. 7-97	5	Do, Kolar, Muns. ..	Recording copy of the proceedings of the Kolar Town Municipal Board at a meeting held on 30th November 1900.
8	8636 / L. F. 45-97	5	Do, Kadur ...	Recording a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several municipalities of the Kadur district during the month of November 1900.

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9	8637-8 / L.F. 194-94	5	Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	According sanction to the Board's proposal to retain till the end of the current year the Octroi establishment sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 575-C—L. F. 194-94, dated 14th July 1900.
10	8639 / L.F. 74-97	5	Do, Mysore City Munl. Comn.	Calling for certain additional information in regard to the proposal to introduce into the Mysore City the draft Bye-laws of the Bangalore City regarding the assessment and collection of tax on animals and vehicles.
11	8665 / L. F. 5-97	7	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, proceedings of the Municipal Board of the Bangalore City at a meeting held on 30th November 1900.
12	8666 / L. F. 5-97	7	Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Forwarding copy of the above.
13	8668 / L. F. 105-95	7	Do ..	Transmitting a letter from the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station forwarding an extract from his office records showing the history of the service of Town Manegar T. Ranga Rao from 1st February 1873 to 30th September 1886.
14	8669-70 / L.F. 186-93	7	Do, & Comptr. ...	According sanction to the Board's recommendation to increase the pay of each of the two Lighting Inspectors by Rs. 5 and to grant horse allowance at Rs. 10 each, as a tentative measure for six months.
15	8671-2 / L. F. 73-98	7	Do, Mysore City Munl. Comn., & Comptr.	According sanction to an appropriation of Rs. 10,000 from the savings in the budget grants of the Mysore City Municipality for 1899-1900 for defraying the expenditure incurred in decorating the Mysore City, &c., on the occasion of His Highness the Maharaja's marriage.
16	8706-7 / L. F. 16-99	8	Do, Bangalore City Munl. Comn., and Comptr.	Sanctioning two estimates amounting to Rs. 973 and Rs. 561, respectively, on account of the special repairs of portions of Sydney and Sankey roads, respectively.
17	8772-3 / L. F. 131-97	10	Do ..	According sanction to the travelling allowance bill of Mr. P. C. Chengalvarai Naidu, Municipal Executive Engineer, Bangalore City, amounting to Rs. 33-8-0, for the month of June 1900, for the journey performed by him on duty to Mysore and back.
18	8774 / L. F. 131-97	10	Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Recording, with certain observations, his letter stating that the report on the insubordinate conduct of the City Municipal Executive Engineer was already submitted to Government.

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19	8778 / L.F.12-1900	10	Presdt. of Kadur Munls.	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of October 1900.
20	8779 / L. F. 12-97	10	Do, Chitaldrug ...	Recording copy of the proceedings of the Chitaldrug Municipal Board at a meeting held on 30th November 1900.
21	8780 / L. F. 9-00	10	Do, Mysore ..	Recording, with certain remarks, the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of October 1900.
22	8781 / L. F. 41-97	10	Do, Tumkur ..	Recording, with certain observations, a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several municipalities of the Tumkur district during the month of October 1900.
23	8782 / L. F. 42-97	10	Do, Mysore ...	Recording a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several municipalities of the Mysore district during the month of November 1900.
24	8783 / L. F. 7-1900	10	Do, Tumkur ...	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of November 1900.
25	8784 / L.F.11-1900	10	Do, Shimoga ...	
26	8859-60 / L. F. 100-95	11	Dy. Comr., Mysore, & Ch. Engr.	Requesting the Chief Engineer to state why the rooms in the Lansdowne Bazaars used for selling *ragi* to the poor may not be exempted from payment of rent.
27	8861 / L. F. 91-96	11	Do, Chitaldrug ...	Stating that the declaration statement for the acquisition of certain houses and land in the Turuvanur Municipality for forming roads, will be forwarded to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication.
28	8863 / L. F. 11-97	11	Presdt., Kadur Munls.	Recording copy of the proceedings of the Chikmagalur Town Municipal Board at a meeting held on the 29th November 1900.
29	8864 / L. F. 1-97	11	Ch. Engr. & Secy., D. P. W.	Forwarding copies of certain correspondence in regard to the payment of rent demanded by the Executive Engineer, Mysore Division, for stalls in the Lansdowne Bazaars used by the Mysore City Municipality for storing wooden galleries used on occasions of reception of high personages and requesting him to state why the rent may not be remitted.
30	8910 / L. F. 91-96	11	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, a declaration statement for the acquisition of certain lands for opening roads in front of Police Station and in the Fort in the Turuvanur Municipality of the Chitaldrug district.

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31	8914-5 / L. F. 3-99	12	Presdt. of Munls., Chitaldrug.	Sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 1,128 for opening a road so as to join with the Challakere road in the Jagalur Municipality.
32	8971 / L. F. 6-00	15	Do, Kolar ...	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for November 1900.
33	8979 / L. F. 39-00	15	Do ..	Recording copy of the proceedings of the Malur Municipal Board at a meeting held on 19th December 1900.
34	8998-9 / L. F. 51-99	16	Do, Mysore City Munl. Comn., & Comptr.	Placing a sum of Rs. 1,200, out of the budget grants at the disposal of the President for works within his powers of sanction.
35	9000 / L. F. 9-99	16	Chief Engineer ..	Requesting him to forward to this office complete records connected with the land recently taken up for the construction of a reservoir in Bangalore as also those relating to the original grant of lands to the Race Course Committee, Bangalore.
36	9001 / L. F. 9-99	16	Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Calling for certain information in regard to the President's communication stating that Lieut.-Colonel Chambers was requested to stop all work connected with the construction of a wall on land belonging to the Race Course Committee.
37	9002 / L. F. 236-96	16	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the appointment of Mr. Kasti Hyder Sab as a member of the Mulbagal Municipal Board, in place of Mr. Narahariachar, deceased.
38	9003 / L. F. 236-96	16	Presdt., Kolar Munls.	Forwarding copy of the above.
39	341-2 / D. C.	16	Do, Bangalore City Munl. Comn., and Comptr.	According sanction to the Board's proposal to place at the disposal of the President a sum of Rs. 1,000 for preparing a casket for presentation to His Excellency the Viceroy, with an address and for erecting an arch at a convenient place in the Bangalore City.
40	9070 / L. F. 43-98	17	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Referring to the Municipal Board the drainage scheme of the Bangalore City entailing a heavy expenditure to be borne by the Municipality, with a request that a special meeting of the Municipal Board may be held and their views submitted to Government in regard to the repayment of the advance required therefor by raising loan within six months.
41	9079 / L. F. 303-96	17	Kasi Anantappa of Chitaldrug.	Informing him that Government decline to interfere in the matter of a dispute preferred by him and one Dhondappa as to the ownership of a strip of land near Bare tree in Bigili Lakshman Rao's land in Chitaldrug.

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37	9002 / L. F. 236-96	16	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the appointment of Mr. Kasti Hyder Sab as a member of the Mulbagal Municipal Board, in place of Mr. Narahariachar, deceased.
38	9003 / L. F. 236-96	16	Presdt., Kolar Munls.	Forwarding copy of the above.
39	341-2 / D. C.	16	Do, Bangalore City Munl. Comn., and Comptr.	According sanction to the Board's proposal to place at the disposal of the President a sum of Rs. 1,000 for preparing a casket for presentation to His Excellency the Viceroy, with an address and for erecting an arch at a convenient place in the Bangalore City.
40	9070 / L. F. 43-98	17	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Referring to the Municipal Board the drainage scheme of the Bangalore City entailing a heavy expenditure to be borne by the Municipality, with a request that a special meeting of the Municipal Board may be held and their views submitted to Government in regard to the repayment of the advance required therefor by raising loan within six months.
41	9079 / L. F. 303-96	17	Kasi Anantappa of Chitaldrug.	Informing him that Government decline to interfere in the matter of a dispute preferred by him and one Dhondappa as to the ownership of a strip of land near Bare tree in Bigili Lakshman Rao's land in Chitaldrug.

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42	9080 / L. F. 303-96	17	Presdt. of Munls., Chitaldrug.	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
43	9081 / L. F. 236-96	17	Do, Kolar ..	Requesting him to state from how many meetings the Sub-Overseer of Mulbagal was absent and why his removal is recommended in spite of the clear instructions contained in Government Proceedings No. 759-68—L. F. 153-92, dated 15th July 1895.
44	9085 / L. F. 20-00	17	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Forwarding the Municipal Administration Report of the Tumkur district for 1899-1900, and requesting that 120 copies of the same may be caused to be printed, six interleaved copies thereof being sent to this office first.
45	9197 / L. F. 60-99	18	Presdt. of Munls., Chitaldrug.	Calling for certain information in regard to Municipal incomplete works requiring completion during the current year at a cost of Rs. 4,691 in certain Municipalities of the Chitaldrug district.
46	9198 / L. F. 13-00	18	Do ..	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of November 1900.
47	9199 / L. F. 20-00	18	Supt., Govt. Printing	Forwarding the Municipal Administration Report of the Bangalore district for 1899-1900, and requesting that 120 copies of the same may be caused to be printed.
48	9200-1 / L. F. 60-99	18	Presdt. of Munls., Chitaldrug, & Compt.	Sanctioning a re-appropriation statement providing funds for the cost of a scale and an Octroi seal for the Municipality of Nayakanhatti.
49	9202 / L. F. 40-97	18	Do, Kolar ..	Recording a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several Municipalities of the Kolar district during the month of December 1900.
50	9203-4 / L. F. 55-99	18	Do, Mysore, & Comptr.	According sanction to an expenditure of Rs. 139-8-0 incurred by the French Rocks Municipal Board, on account of sanitary and other improvements of the town on the occasion of His Highness the Maharaja's visit on the 13th November 1900.
51	9205-6 / L. F. 4-98	18	Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn., & Comptr.	Accepting the President's proposal that the hollow ground to the south of the 5th Main road in the Chamrajpete of the Bangalore City in front of Rajavenkatasubbachetti's house may be given him free of cost on condition of his filling up the pit and planting fever-preventing trees within a period of two months.
52	9207-8 / L. F. 83-96	18	Dy. Comr., Mysore, Presdt., Mysore City Munl. Comn., & Comp.	Stating that the declaration statement for the acquisition of certain houses and lands for improving the sanitation of Fort Main road in Fort Mohalla of the Mysore City will be forwarded to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication.

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53	9208½ / L. F. 83-96	18	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding the above declaration for publication in the *Gazette.*
54	9210 / L. F. 9-00	18	Presdt., Mysore Munls.	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of November 1900.
55	9211 / L. F. 226-96	18	Senior Surgeon and Sany. Comr.	Forwarding copies of certain correspondence in regard to the suspension of the Sanitary Inspector of the Mysore City Municipality.
56	9214-6 / L. F. 50-99	18	Sr Surgn., Comptr., & Presdt., Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Sanctioning the grant of both the charge allowance and the consolidated allowance to each of the Hospital Assistants in charge of the Municipal Dispensaries in the Bangalore City.
57	9217 / L. F. 42-97	18	Presdt. of Munls., Tumkur.	Recording a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several Municipalities of the Tumkur district during the month of November 1900.
58	9218 / L. F. 5-1900	18	Do, Bangalore ..	Forwarding the Municipal demand, collection and balance statements for August and September 1900, and requesting that the same may be returned to this office with the necessary corrections.
59	9219 / L. F. 5-97	18	Do, Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Stating that the cash account current for September 1900 will be forwarded to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication.
60	9273-4 / L. F. 59-99	21	Do, Kadur Munls. ..	According sanction to the appropriation of Rs. 10-10-8, being the allowance paid to the shanbhog for collecting the Octroi duty in the town of Sakrepatna during 1899-1900 out of Rs. 28 available under "XI. Miscellaneous, unforeseen expenses" in the current year's budget of that Municipality.
61	9275 / L. F. 4-98	21	Do, Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	Calling for certain information in regard to the opening of a road from Patnulpet to Arcot Srinivassacharlu's street in the Bangalore City.
62	9276-7 / L. F. 125-97	21	Presdt., Mysore City Munl. Comn., and Comptr.	Sanctioning two travelling bills of the Vice-President, Mysore City Municipality amounting to Rs. 29-8-0 for the months of July and August 1900, for the journey made to Kukarhalli feeder channel and Belagola, beyond the Municipal limits.
63	9312 / L. F. 40-98	22	Do of Munls., Chitaldrug.	Requesting him to state the number and date of Government Order sanctioning the levy of Octroi duty on certain articles in the Challakere Municipality.
64	9316 / L. F. 10-00	22	Do, Hassan ..	Recording the Municipal demand, collection and balance statement for the month of November 1900.
65	9317 / L. F. 3-00	22	Do, Bangalore City Munl. Comn.	

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66	9581 / L. F. 35-00	26	Presdt., Chitaldrug Munls.	Directing that the proposal of the Turuvanur Municipal Board to levy tax at certain rates on temporary shops opened now and then in the Municipality should lie over, pending the passing of the draft Municipal Regulation now under consideration, and that till then the existing practice should not be disturbed or innovations introduced.
67	9485-6 / L. F. 51-99	29	Do, MysoreCityMunl. Comn., & Comptr.	Sanctioning a statement of compensation amounting to Rs. 1,731 payable to owners of houses and lands proposed to be acquired for improving the sanitation of Darji Vada in Lashkarmohalla of the Mysore City.
68	9487 / L. F. 303-96	29	Rudraiya, Siddananja & ors. of Hassan.	Informing them that Government decline to interfere in the matter of their complaint against the acquisition of their houses by the Deputy Commissioner.
69	9488 / L. F. 303-96	29	Dy. Comr. & Presdt., Hassan Munls.	Forwarding copy of the above.
70	9491 / L.F. 15-97	29	Presdt., Tumkur Munls.	Recording, with certain observations, copy of the proceedings of the Tumkur Municipal Board at a meeting held on 11th December 1900.
71	9493 / L. F. 45-97	29	Do, Kadur ..	Recording a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several Municipalities of the Kadur district during the month of December 1900.
72	9494 / L. F. 41-00	29	Senior Surgeon ..	Requesting him to state whether having regard to the Village Sanitation Rules and the orders issued in connection with plague prevention, he considers the rules suggested by the Sanitary Commissioner of Madras for combating epidemics of cholera in Municipal towns still necessary, and if so, requesting him to send a few simple rules adapted to the Mysore State.
73	9539 / L. F. 10-97	30	Presdt. of Munls., Shimoga.	Recording copy of the proceedings of the Shimoga Municipal Board at a meeting held on 5th January 1901.
74	9540 / L. F. 303-96	30	Dy. Comr. & Presdt. of Munls., Kolar.	Reversing the order of the Deputy Commissioner directing that one Kalel Munivenkatasami of Bowringpet should pay to the Bowringpet Municipality the valuation of a certain building site in his possession in that Municipality.
75	9541 / L. F. 303-96	30	Kalel Munivenkatasami of Bowrinpet.	Informing him of the above.
76	9545 / L.F. 420-92	30	Karupakal Ramaiya, Krishna Rao & ors. of Chintamani.	Informing them that from a report received from the President, Municipal Boards, Kolar district, it is found that the construction of a feeder to the water-supply tank of Chintamani has lately been started.

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77	9546 / L. F. 420-92	30	Presdt., Kolar Munls.	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
78	9550 / L. F. 44-97	30	Do, Shimoga ...	Recording, with certain remarks, a statement showing the number and dates of meetings held in the several Municipalities of the Shimoga district during the month of November 1900.
79	9552 / L. F. 74-97	30	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding, for favor of transmission to the President, Civil and Military Station Municipality, a letter addressed to him by the President, Bangalore City Municipal Commission, enquiring if any rules to prevent the use of water from public fountains for washing vessels, clothes, &c., are in force in the Station Municipality.
80	9553 / L. F. 11-97	30	Presdt., Kadur Munls.	Recording copy of the proceedings of the Chikmagalur Town Municipal Board at a meeting held on 22nd December 1900.
81	9554 / L. F. 65-96	30	Do, Hassan ..	Stating that the declaration statement for improving the Hassan Town Municipality will be forwarded to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication.
82	9555 / L. F. 65-96	30	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding the above declaration for publication.
83	9593-4 / L. F. 27-99	31	Presdt. of Munls., Shimoga, & Comptr.	Sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 796 for constructing V-shaped drains in the Doddapetta of the Nyamti Municipality.
84	9597 / L. F. 125-95	31	Govt. Advocate ...	Forwarding, for opinion, copy of a letter from the President, Mysore City Municipal Commission, requesting instructions as to whether draft deed for loan should be on stamped paper.
85	9598-9 / L. F. 35-98	31	Presdt. of Munls., Shimoga, & Comptr.	Recording a letter from the President reporting that Octroi duty has been ordered to be collected in the town of Benkipur from 10th January 1901.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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REVENUE

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	4948-52 / R. 1669	2	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*, Comptr., Dy. Comrs. of Hassan, Bangalore and Kolar.	Notifying the transfers of the following two Assistant Commissioners :— Mr. K. Krishna Iyer, from the Hassan to the Bangalore district, to join forthwith. Mr. K. R. Srinivasaiengar, M. A., from Bangalore to the Kolar district, to join on relief.
2	4953 / R. 1670	3	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Recording, with certain observations, his docket submitting the progress report of relief afforded to weavers of the Mysore City from the 8th to 14th November 1900, and stating that it has been arranged to hand over the whole of the cloths purchased to Madappa.
3	4964 / R. 1679	3	Compiler, *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of six days' casual leave to Mr. H. V. Nanjundayya, M. A., M. L., Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga district, with effect from the 7th instant.
4	4965 / R. 1680	3	Comptroller ...	Forwarding a copy of the above.
5	4966 / R. 1681	3	Dy. Comr., Shimoga.	Ditto, with certain observations.
6	4967 / R. 1682	3	Do, Chitaldrug ...	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed conversion, into dry, of the garden-rate of assessment now levied on certain lands situated below Honnekere tank in the Holalkere village, Holalkere taluk, owing to their not being irrigated by the tank.
7	4968 / R. 1683	3	Do, Tumkur ...	Recording, with certain remarks, his letter submitting a copy of his review on the itinerary journals of Amildars and Deputy Amildars in the Tumkur district during September 1900.
8	4971 / R.F. 109-96	3	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of five days' casual leave to T. Chokkanna, Amildar of the Mandya taluk, with effect from the 13th December 1900.

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9	4972 / R.F. 109-96	3	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
10	4973 / R.F. 109-96	3	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	
11	4974 / R. F. 29-99	3	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the extension by two days of the three days' casual leave granted to Mr. B. Ramaswamaiya, Assistant Commissioner, Kadur district, in Notification No. 4854—R. F. 29-99, dated 20th December 1900.
12	4975 / R.F. 29-99	3	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
13	4976 / R.F. 29-99	3	Dy. Comr., Kadur ...	
14	4979 / R. 1692	3	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Government of India, two manuscript copies of the return of prices current of food grains and salt in the Mysore State for the fortnight ending 15th December 1900.
15	4980 / R. 1693	3	Do ..	Ditto to the Statistical Bureau of the Government of India, a statement showing the wholesale prices of food grains, &c., in the towns of Bangalore and Mysore for the fortnight ending 15th December 1900.
16	4981 / R. 1694	3	Do ...	Acknowledging receipt of two copies of tables compiled by the Director General of Statistics, relating to cotton spinning and weaving in the Indian mills for September 1900.
17	4982 / R. 1695	3	Supt., Govt. Printing	Calling for eight interleaved copies of the Revenue Administration Report of the Tumkur district for the year 1899-1900.
18	4984 / R. 1696	3	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Requesting him to stop further purchases of cloths from the weavers of the Bangalore City, and calling for a full report regarding the extent of distress still prevailing among this class and how he proposes to meet it.
19	4985 / R. 1697	3	Supt., Rev. Sur., & *ex-officio* Dir. of Land Records in Mysore.	Forwarding for opinion, certain papers regarding the preparation of the Khaneshumari account and the proposed modification of the existing practice and orders regarding village accounts.
20	4986 / R. 1698	3	Dy. Comr., Shimoga.	Forwarding a copy of letter No. 50, dated 11th December 1900, from the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, stating that on examining the Quit-Rent Registers of several taluks and title-deeds furnished to the inamdars, it is found in every case that the former nature of the Desayi and Nadig inams is entered and that it is not clear what the Representative Members really require; and requesting him to ascertain from Mr. Surappa, the Representative Member, who raised the question, what he wishes to be done.

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21	4987 / R. 1699	3	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave from the 6th November 1900 to the 5th December 1900 to Mr. Lingo Malhar Naik, Assistant Superintendent, Revenue Survey.
22	4988 / R. 1700	3	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
23	4989 / R. 1701	3	Supt., Rev. Survey...	
24	5035-6 / R. 1702	4	Dy. Comr., Mysore, & Comptr.	Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. W. E. North, Deputy Clerk, as Acting English Head Clerk of the Mysore District office, during the absence of W. P. Narainswami Mudaliar, who was granted two months' privilege leave from the 11th December 1900.
25	5037-8 / R. 1703	4	Do, Kadur, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Recording Kadur Deputy Commissioner's letter reporting that he has ordered four shekdars to report themselves by the 10th December 1900, for training in the Survey Department.
26	5039 / R. 1704	4	Do, Kadur ..	Sanctioning the writing off the account of the sum of Rs. 1071-10-7, being the amount of irrecoverable arrears in certain taluks of his district for the quarter ending 30th September 1900.
27	5040 / R. 1705	4	Agricultural Chemist.	Requesting him to report when he can go to Coorg to inspect the coffee plantations there without prejudice to his other work, and what time he would require for travelling in Coorg.
28	5084 / R. 1707	4	Dy. Comr., Tumkur	Calling for the details of classification of inam holdings according to area.
29	5085 / R. 1708	4	Do, Hassan ...	Requesting submission of copies of the review on the itinerary journals of Amildars and Deputy Amildar in his district for the months of September 1899 and January, February, March, April and June 1900.
30	5086 / R. 1709	4	Do, Chitaldrug ..	Ditto for the month of April 1900.
31	5087 / R. 1710	4	Do, Kolar ..	Ditto for the month of September 1899.
32	5089 / R. 1712	4	Do, Bangalore ..	Approving of the proposed agreement to be taken from Mr. A. Gopalacharlu of the Srinivasamandiram for the proper management of the ten acres of land to be granted to him for the maintenance of the orphanage.
33	5090 / R.F. 146-95	4	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Enquiring why the name of B. Srikantaiya was inserted in Notification No. 4473—R. F. 146-95, dated 10th December 1900, published in page 840 of the *Mysore Gazette* of the 13th December 1900.
34	5091 / R. 1714	4	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Enquiring the price and the reasonable rate of assessment that can be imposed on six guntas of kharab land in the bed of the Arkavati river in the Nelamangala taluk, proposed

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				to be granted for setting up flour mills, &c., by one Hakim Sheik Ahmed Saheb.
35	5092-4 / R.F. 6-1900	4	Dy. Comrs. of Kolar, Tumkur and Chitaldrug.	Enquiring how much of the budget allotment under advances for irrigation wells has been expended during 1900-1901.
36	5095 / R.F. 148-95	4	Dy. Comr., Mysore	Forwarding, for an early report, a petition, dated 24th November 1900, from shanbhog Subrayappa of Tayur village, Nanjangud taluk, praying for the transfer of the said village to T.-Narsipur taluk.
37	5096 / R. 1717	5	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Requesting submission of a detailed report regarding the adjustment of the value of land taken up for the Mallur bridge.
38	5100 / R. 1721	5	Do ...	Requesting him to specify the public purpose for which Survey No. 75 of the Sampigehalli village, Bangalore taluk, was acquired on payment of a compensation of Rs. 174-1-0 to the khatedar Mr. Standish Lee.
39	5112 / R. F. 151-96	7	Do, Chitaldrug ..	Recording his docket submitting a statement showing the demand, collection and balance of acreage contribution from raiyats on account of major irrigation works for the month of October 1900.
40	5113 / R.F. 149-96	7	Do, Kadur ..	Ditto ditto.
41	5114 / R.F. 1-96	7	Do, Shimoga ...	Calling for a copy of the statement showing the lands required for the Shimoga Railway Station yard.
42	5115 / R. F. 1-96	7	Secy. for Railways ..	Forwarding a copy of the above.
43	5119-21 / R. 1729	8	Dy. Comrs. of Mysore, Hassan & Shimoga.	Calling for statements showing the wages for labor for the half year ending the 31st December 1900.
44	5122 / R. 1730	8	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug.	Ditto showing the manufacture and trade for the year 1899-1900.
45	5123-5 / R. 1731	8	Dy. Comrs. of Tumkur, Mysore and Chitaldrug.	Ditto showing the Civil divisions in their districts for the year 1899-1900.
46	5126 / R. 1732	8	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Ditto showing the Land Revenue and Mines and Quarries for the year 1899-1900.
47	5127 / R. F. 35-99	8	Dy. Comr., Hassan...	Calling for the Comptroller's certificate showing the leave at the credit of H. Sitharamaiya, Amildar of the Belur taluk, and enquiring the date on which the Amildar returned to duty from the ten days' casual leave.
48	5131 / R. 1734	8	Secy., P. W. D. ..	Transferring the Kolar Deputy Commissioner's report regarding the water dispute between the jodidar of Katanaguttanapalli of the Srinivaspur taluk and the raiyats of Birangi village of the Madanapalli taluk, Cuddappah district.

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49	5139-40 / R. F. 50-92	9	Dy. Comrs. of Bangalore & Kolar.	Requesting them to forward to this office the register of lands made over to the Madras Railway Company during the year 1900.
50	5141 / R. 1736	9	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Requesting a supply of 30 copies of English calendar for the year 1901.
51	5142 / R. 1737	9	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding a copy of letter No. 298, dated 8th November 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur, which gives full details of the circumstances which led to the sale of a bungalow in the Mudgere taluk, belonging to Mr. F. Reay, Famine Assistant Commissioner, Chanda, Central Provinces, on account of arrears of land revenue; and requesting that Mr. Reay may be informed that he may prefer an appeal to the Durbar for a revision of the orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner or the Taluk authorities.
52	5151 / R. 1738	10	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Calling for eight interleaved copies of the Revenue Administration Report of the Bangalore district for 1899-1900.
53	5152 / R. 1739	10	Dy. Comr., Shimoga.	Enquiring the date from which J. D. Chinnappavu Pille, Amildar of Honnali, was permitted to avail himself of the five days' casual leave granted to him by the Deputy Commissioner in anticipation of Government sanction.
54	5156 / R. 1741	10	Do, Kadur ...	Recording his letter forwarding his review on the journals of the Amildars and Deputy Amildar in the Kadur district for the month of November 1900.
5[illegible]	5157 / R. 1742	10	Do, Bangalore ...	Ditto in the Bangalore district for the month of November 1900.
[illegible]	5158 / R. 1743	10	Do, Mysore ...	Forwarding an extract from letter, dated 4th December 1900, from the First Assistant to the Resident together with a land plan and schedule in original, regarding the land required for temporary diversion for doubling the 5-24 feet arch bridge at mile 270—11 on the old Mysore State Railway; and requesting the Deputy Commissioner to acquire and hand over the land to the Southern Mahratta Railway Company at an early date.
57	5159-60 / R. 1744	10	Dy Comr., Bangalore, & Supt., Rev. Sur.	Sanctioning the appropriation, for dry cultivation, of 4 acres and 5 guntas of land out of gomal Survey No. 102 in the Heligahalli village, Kankanhalli taluk.
58	5161-2 / R. 1745	10	Do & do ...	Ditto, of 5 acres and 30 guntas of land out of gomal Survey No. 102 in the Heligahalli village, Kankanhalli taluk.

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59	5163-4 / R. 1746	10	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Supt., Rev. Sur.	Sanctioning the appropriation, for dry cultivation, of 6 acres and 26 guntas of land out of gomal Survey No. 101 in the Buhalli village, Channapatna taluk.
60	5165-6 / R. 1747	10	Do, Mysore & do ..	Ditto, for wet cultivation, of 1 acre and 38 guntas of land out of gomal Survey No. 31 in the Ankanahalli village, Nagamangala taluk.
61	5167-8 / R. 1748	10	Do, Hassan & do ...	Ditto, for the construction of a travellers' bungalow at Arkalgud, of 2 acres and 38 guntas of land out of four Survey numbers in the Arkalgud village, Arkalgud taluk.
62	5172 / R. 1749	10	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Statistical Bureau of the Government of India, a statement showing the wholesale prices of food grains, &c., in the towns of Bangalore and Mysore for the fortnight ending 31st December 1900.
63	5173 / R.F. 36-99	10	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of three months' privilege leave, with effect from the date of relief, to Mr. M. Krishnaiengar, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kolar district, his retirement taking effect from the date of the expiry of the leave.
64	5174 / R. F. 36-99	10	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
65	5175 / R. F. 36-99	10	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	
66	5182-4 / R. 1753	11	Dy. Comrs. of Shimoga & Tumkur & Compt.	Stating that Government cannot spare an Assistant Commissioner for the Shimoga district, and posting T. Subbaraj Urs, Revenue Probationer, now attached to the Tumkur district to Shimoga.
67	5185 / R. 1754	11	Dy. Comr., Kolar .	Sanctioning the writing off of accounts of the sum of Rs. 143-6-1, being the irrecoverable arrears of the Srinivaspur taluk for the years 1895-96, 1896-97 and 1897-98.
68	5186-7 / R. 1755	11	Do, Kadur, & Comptr.	Approving of transfers of certain Taluk Sheristadars in the Kadur district.
69	5190-91 / R. 1756	11	Do, Tumkur, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the appropriation, for building purposes, of 4 acres of land out of Survey No. 261 in the Reddivarahalli village, Pavagada taluk.
70	5197-8 / R. 1760	11	Do, Bangalore, & do.	Ditto, for dry cultivation, of 10 acres and 2 guntas of land out of gomal Survey No. 122 in the Muneyamballi village, Kankanhalli taluk.
71	5199 / R. 1761	11	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the appointment of Krishna Sastri, B.A., District Sheristadar of Chitaldrug as Acting Amildar, *sub pro tem*, and 3rd Class Magistrate of the Molakalmuru taluk.

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72	5200 / R. 1762	11	Comptroller ...	Forwarding a copy of the preceding.
73	5201 / R. 1763	11	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug	
74	5204 / R. F. 46-97	11	Do, Mysore ...	Calling for explanation of certain variations in Table A-3 of Agricultural Statistics for 1899-1900.
75	5205-11 / R.F. 46-97	11	Dy. Comrs. of Dts., except Kadur.	Requesting that the area under mustard cultivation noted in Table A-3 of Agricultural Statistics for the year 1899-1900 may be intimated talukwar.
76	5214 / R. 1766	11	Dy.Comr., Chitaldrug	Calling for the explanations of the Amildars of Chitaldrug and Holalkere and the Deputy Amildar of Harihar for their short itineration during the month of October 1900.
77	5215-21 / R. 1767	11	Dy. Comrs. of Dts., except Tumkur.	Circulating, for opinion, letter, dated 24th October 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur district, soliciting orders as to whether in cases in which the village officers of inam villages are punished by the inamdars, the Deputy Commissioner is bound to accept the reasons assigned by the inamdar for such punishment or can hold an independent enquiry into the matter.
78	5231 / R. F. 86-95	11	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the removal of the head-quarters of the Koppa taluk from Hariharpur to Koppa, with effect from the 10th December 1900.
79	5232 / R. F. 86-95	11	Dy. Comr., Kadur ...	Forwarding a copy of the above.
80	5233-4 / R. F. 86-95	11	Do, Kadur, & Comptr.	Sanctioning an advance of Rs. 100 for expenses in connection with the removal of treasure and furniture from the old Taluk Cutcherry at Hariharpur to the new building at Koppa.
81	5235 / R. F. 79-97	12	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of the one month and one day's privilege leave not availed of by C. D. Ramaswamaiya, Amildar of Nanjangud, out of three months' privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 979—R. F. 79-97, dated 31st July 1900.
82	5236 / R. F. 79-97	12	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
83	5237 / R. F. 79-97	12	Dy. Comr., Mysore	
84	5238 / R. 1773	12	Do, Tumkur ...	Calling for further information regarding the proposed remission of half the assessment on certain lands which remained uncultivated during 1899-1900 under the Tumkur Amanikere tank.
85	5239 / R. 1774	12	Do ..	Forwarding a copy of Memo, dated 30th December 1900, from the Secretary to Government for Railways, together with its

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				enclosure regarding the unauthorized excavation of pits in Government assessed waste lands in the Arulaguppe village, Tiptur taluk.
86	5240-1 / R. 1775	12	Dy.Comr.,Chitaldrug, & Supt.,Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning, with certain remarks, the appropriation, for cultivation purposes, four gomal survey numbers in the Tippenahalli village, Hosdurga sub-taluk.
87	5242-3 / R. 1776	12	Do ...	Ditto, for building purposes, of 1 acre and 18 guntas of land out of Survey Nos. 16 and 18 in the Krishnapura village, Hiriyur taluk.
88	5244-5 / R. 1777	12	Do ...	According sanction to the alienation of 4 acres and 34 guntas of land out of Survey No. 11 in the Jankonda village, Chitaldrug taluk, as it is liable to submersion by the water of the Hullur tank.
89	5246-7 / R. 1778	12	Do ..	Sanctioning the appropriation, for building purposes, of 30 guntas of land out of Survey No. 4 in the Naikanhatti village, Challakere taluk.
90	5249 / R.F. 119-97	12	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of 15 days' casual leave to Mr. C. Rama Rao, Huzur Head Sheristadar, with effect from the 16th instant.
91	5250 / R.F. 119-97	12	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
92	5251 / R.F. 119-97	12	Mr. C. Rama Rao ...	
93	5253 / RF.12-1900	12	Agril. Chemist ...	Requesting him to finish the examination of the soil., &c., as early as possible and report the result for the information and orders of Government; and suggesting that he must be ready with his analysis at least before the next season if he would have an experimental farm at all.
94	5254-5 / R. F. 36-97	12	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Inspr. of Agril. Banks.	Inviting the early attention of these officers to certain observations made regarding the inspection of the Agricultural Bank at Hulkunte, Dodballapur taluk.
95	5256 / R. 1785	12	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Government of India, two manuscript copies of the return of prices current of food grains and salt in the Mysore State for the fortnight ending 31st December 1900.
96	5259 / R. 1788	12	Supt., Govt. Printing	Forwarding, for publication in the *Mysore Gazette*, the table of rainfall registered at the several stations of the Mysore State during the month of November 1900, and calling for 500 copies of the same.
97	5262 / R. 1789	15	Supt., Rev. Survey.	Ditto, for opinion, a copy of letter, dated 6th November 1900, from the Secretary to the

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				Government of Madras, Revenue Department, enquiring whether the Durbar has any objection to an unsurveyed plot of land, measuring 1·52 acres, lying between the villages of Siddaiyanakote in the Jagalur taluk and Madiballi in the Harpanhalli taluk, Bellary district, being reckoned as British Territory; and stating that the Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldrug reports that the land in question does not belong to the Durbar and may be reckoned as British Territory.
98	5263 / R. 1790	15	Dy.Comr.,Chitaldrug.	Enquiring if he himself saw the land above referred to or got it inspected by a responsible official.
99	5264 / RF.13-1900	15	Do, Mysore ...	Stating, with certain observations, that the rate of commission allowed to Madappa for purchasing cloths bought by Government from the indigent weavers of the Mysore City is disproportionately and excessively high, compared with Bangalore; and calling for the final report regarding the discontinuance of this relief measure.
100	5265 / RF.13-1900	15	Do ...	Stating that the mere fact that no cloths were purchased during the week ending 12th December 1900, as the Government advance was exhausted, does not show whether there is or not any necessity for further relief; and calling for a detailed report regarding the present condition of the weavers of the Mysore City.
101	5268-9 / R. 1794	15	Do, Chitaldrug, and Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the appropriation, for heaping manure, of Survey No. 53—1, measuring 1 acre and 18 guntas, in the Uppalagiri village, Hiriyur taluk.
102	5270-71 / R. 1795	15	Do, Bangalore, & do	Ditto, for building purposes, 2 acres of land out of Survey No. 67 in the Nirvanahosahalli village, Dodballapur taluk.
103	5272-3 / R. 1796	15	Do ...	Ditto, for cremation and burial purposes, of 4 acres and 31 guntas of land in two Survey numbers 76 and 77 in the Maluru village, Channapatna taluk.
104	5274 / R. 1797	15	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Sanctioning a remission of one-fourth the assessment on lands held by Bester Anniyappa, owner of a private tank in the Chinnappanahalli village, Gudibanda sub-taluk.
105	5275-6 / R. 1798	15	Do, Tumkur & Compt.	Stating that the application of Boppanna of Sivapura in the Gubbi taluk praying for a loan of Rs. 1,000 under the Land Improvement Loans Regulation may be put off pending the orders of Government on the Tumkur Deputy Commissioner's letter, dated

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				23rd November 1900, applying for a further allotment of Rs. 1,500, and sanctioning a further allotment of Rs. 450 to meet the grant of a loan of Rs. 600 sanctioned in favor of Krishnaiengar of Kodavati, Kunigal taluk.
106	5282-5 / R. 1801	15	Consvr. of Forests, Comptr., Dy. Comr., Shimoga, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the alienation of four guntas of waste land out of Survey No. 2 in the Bidarehalli village, Honnali taluk, for the construction of a forest guard's shed.
107	5286-7 / R. F. 44-97	15	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Inspr. of Agril. Banks.	Recording, with certain observations, letter, dated 3rd August 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore district, submitting a memo from the Inspector of Agricultural Banks on the inspection of the Agricultural Bank at Attibele in the Anekal taluk.
108	5293 / R. 1803	16	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Government of India, five printed copies of the return of food grains and salt in the Mysore State for the fortnight ending 15th December 1900.
109	5294 / RF.11-1900	16	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the extension up to 22nd December 1900 of the one month's privilege leave granted to Mr. D. K. Darasha, Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldrug district, in Notification No. 3978—R. F. 11-1900, dated 15th November 1900.
110	5295 / RF.11-1900	16	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
111	5296 / RF.11-1900	16	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug	
112	5303 / R. 1807	16	Do, Mysore ..	Enquiring why the prices of straw and grass were shown per bundle in the fortnightly wholesale returns of 1st half of May and 2nd half of June of 1900 instead of in terms of 10 maunds of 82⅔ lbs. each.
13	5304-5 / R. 1808	16	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug, & Chief Engineer.	Forwarding copy of letter from the Chief Engineer stating that there is no necessity for the entertainment of a sowdi on Rs. 5 to be in charge of the feeder channel of the Dodderi tank in the Challakere taluk; and enquiring of the Deputy Commissioner why the principle laid down in Government Proceedings, dated 1st May 1895, should be departed from in the case of the channel above referred to.
114	5306 / R. 1809	16	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Calling for information on certain points regarding the appointment of one Srinivasa Rao as Revenue Deputy Accountant on Rs. 40 in the Kolar District office *vice* Shamaiengar promoted.

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115	5313 / R. 1810	17	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of two days' casual leave to Mr. H. V. Nanjundayya, Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga district, with effect from the 29th October 1900.
116	5314 / R. 1811	17	Comptroller ...	Forwarding a copy of the above with the intimation that Mr. H. V. Nanjundayya was at Bangalore on official business on the 26th and 27th October 1900.
117	5315 / R. 1812	17	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Forwarding a copy of the above with reference to his D. O., dated 27th October 1900.
118	5316 / R. 1813	17	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the following transfers of Assistant Commissioners:— (1) Mr. A. Ananda Rao from the Tumkur to the Shimoga district (to join forthwith); (2) Mr. Ahmed Ali from the Shimoga to the Tumkur district (to join on relief.)
119	5317 / R. 1814	17	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	Forwarding a copy of the above, with the intimation that Mr. Ahmed Ali may be placed in charge of the District Treasury.
120	5318 / R. 1815	17	Do, Shimoga ..	Ditto, with the intimation that Mr. Ananda Rao may be employed on general duties and Mr. C. Devaraj Urs be placed in charge of the District Treasury.
121	5319 / R. 1816	17	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copies of the above for information.
122	5320 / R. F. 94-95	17	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of three months' leave (two months and 28 days being privilege leave and two days' plague leave) to V. Kantiravachar, Amildar of the Chintamani taluk, from date of relief, his retirement taking effect on the expiry of the leave.
123	5321 / R. F. 94-95	17	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
124	5322 / R. F. 94-95	17	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
125	5324 / R. 1820	18	H. Subba Rao, clerk, Dewan's office.	Directing him, with reference to his application praying for further leave, to produce a medical certificate before the 20th instant, failing which he will get no pay for the period of his absence.
126	5374 / R. F. 50-92	19	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding the abstract register of lands made over to the Madras Railway Company for the year 1900.
127	5386 / R. 1822	21	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug.	Forwarding a petition, dated 10th December 1900, from the shanbhogs, patels, &c., of Begur magani in the Kadur taluk, praying that the villages of that magani may be

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				transferred to Hosdurga; and calling for a detailed report regarding the proposed reconstitution of Hosdurga sub-taluk into a taluk.
125	5387 / R. 1823	21	Kantiravachar, retired Amildar, Chintamani.	Informing him that his request for retention in service for at least a year and a half cannot be complied with.
129	5388 / R. 1824	21	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Enquiring what the distance is between the land applied for by Major Jones and the Yesvantpur Railway Station, and whether the land is not likely to be required by the Railway authorities in the near future.
130	5389 / R. 1825	21	Do ...	Recording his letter submitting a statement showing the particulars of relief afforded to the weavers in Bangalore City for the week ending 15th December 1900.
131	5390 / R. 1826	21	Do ..	Ditto for the week ending 1st December 1900.
132	5391 / R. 1827	21	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying an *erratum* in Government Notification No. 4473—R. F. 146-95, dated 10th December 1900, namely, *for* "B. Srikantiah" *read* "B. Sankariah."
133	5392 / R. 1828	21	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
134	5393 / R. 1829	21	Dy. Comr., Hassan ...	
135	5394 / R. 1830	21	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Approving of the Deputy Commissioner's action in having placed Assistant Commissioner Mr. Kumarasami Naik in charge of the Yedatore taluk after he was relieved of the charge of the taluks of Nanjangud and Gundlupet.
136	5395 / R. 1831	21	Do, Kolar ...	Declining to sanction, for reasons stated therein, the Deputy Commissioner's proposal regarding the grant of a certain land as service inam to the talvar of the Jannaghatta village, Kolar taluk, in lieu of his original inam land said to have been rendered unculturable owing to the flow of the kodi water of the Jannaghatta tank.
137	5396 / R. 1832	21	Comptroller ...	Calling for a certificate showing the privilege leave to which Mr. V. N. Gopalaiengar, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kolar district, was entitled on the 10th instant.
138	5397-8 / R. 1833	21	Dy. Comr., Mysore, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the grant of Survey No. 244, measuring 2 acres and 5 guntas in the Hosaholalu village, Krishnarajpete taluk, to one Subbajois in exchange for his lands submerged by the restoration of Doddakere in

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				the same village, subject to the reservation of the mature date trees standing thereon.
139	5399 / R. 1834	21	First Asst. to Resdt.	Suggesting the desirability of a joint local inspection being made by the Officers of the Madras Government and the Durbar, with a view to the satisfactory settlement of the dispute regarding three saguvali kattes constructed in Doddabadihalli and Obalapur villages in the Challakere taluk, which are stated to be prejudicial to the supply of water to a British tank.
140	5403 / R. 1835	21	Dy. Comr., Mysore.	Forwarding, for an early report, a copy of letter, dated 10th January 1901, from the Military Assistant, stating that the Maranahalli fair in the Chamrajnagar taluk is a suitable market for the surplus Amrut Mahal cattle.
141	5404 / R. 1836	21	Consvr. of Forests ...	Ditto, with a request that an allotment be made for the season, of sufficient pasturage in the State forest of Punajur to depasture a depot Amrut Mahal herd of some 600 animals, pending their sale or fresh pasture becoming available in Hardanhalli.
142	5405 / R. 1837	21	Stn. Master, Settihalli, S. M. R.	Returning, with certain remarks, his application praying for the supply of forms of births and deaths.
143	5411 / R. 1838	22	Presdt., L. F. Bd., Chitaldrug.	Stating that a notification regarding the proposed acquisition of lands and houses in the Averagalla village, Davangere taluk, for the purpose of opening out roads, will be published in the *Mysore Gazette*.
144	5412 / R. 1839	22	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the above.
145	5413 / R. F. 145-96	22	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Recording his letter submitting demand, collection and balance statement for major irrigation works for the month of November 1900.
146	5414-21 / R. 1841	22	Dy. Comrs. of Dts.	Forwarding copies of Agricultural Statistics of Mysore for the years 1894-95 to 1898-99.
147	5422 / R. F. 35-99	22	Comptroller ...	Calling for a certificate showing the period of privilege leave to which H. Sitharamiah, Amildar of the Belur taluk, is entitled.
148	5423-4 / R. 1843	22	Dy. Comr., Kadur, & Supt., Inam Setlmts.	Directing that certain unenfranchised Brahmadaya inam in the Belagur village, Kadur taluk, which had been confirmed in 1891 to one Budihal Gauramma, since deceased, be registered in the name of Thammabhatta, as he is the most senior of the heirs of the deceased.
149	5425 / R. 1844	22	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Forwarding, for a very early report, an application, dated 3rd January 1901, from Mr. Hardie Lee requesting the free grant of

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				two acres of land at the north-west corner of the Barr Regimental parade ground, Bangalore City, for the purpose of opening our wood-manufacturing steam works.
150	5426 / R. 1845	22	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Declining to sanction the establishment of an agricultural bank at Tirkanambi, Gundlupet taluk.
151	5427 / R. F. 35-98	22	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the extension by 20 days of the leave without allowances granted to Abdul Jaleel, Amildar of the Magadi taluk, in Notification No. 323—R. F. 35-98, dated 12th July 1900.
152	5428 / R. F. 35-98	22	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
153	5430 / R. F. 35-98	22	I. G. of Police ..	
154	5429 / R. F. 35-98	22	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Ditto with certain observations.
155	5431-2 / R.F. 190-92	22	Comptr., & Agricultural Chemist.	Exempting Agricultural Inspector Marisami from furnishing a certificate of maintaining a horse.
156	5433 / R. 1851	22	Secy., P. W. D. ...	Forwarding, for information being furnished on certain points, copies of correspondence regarding the adjustment of Rs. 49-4-10 being the amount of compensation payable for a portion of land, measuring 22 square yards relinquished by the Southern Mahratta Railway.
157	5434 / R. F. 54-96	22	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the extension by one month, of the seven months' leave on medical certificate granted to Mr. K. S. Dorasami Iyer, Sub-Division Officer, French Rocks, in Notification No. 4106—R. F. 54-96, dated 20th November 1900.
158	5435 / R. F. 54-96	22	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
159	5436 / R. F. 54-96	22	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	
160	5437-8 / R. F. 58-94	22	Dy. Comrs. of Bangalore & Kolar.	Directing that, for reasons stated, Survey Settlement be at once introduced into all the inam villages in the Hoskote and Sidlaghatta taluks belonging to Ramanna and other inamdars of the Nandagudi family and that a good and efficient shekdar be appointed to manage the villages in the Hoskote taluk, and issuing instructions for the submission of certain accounts and statements in connection therewith, once every quarter.

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161	5439 / R. 1856	24	Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India, Calcutta.	Forwarding statements of daily rainfall registered at the five stations of Kolar, Tumkur, Hassan, Chikmagalur and Chitaldrug during the month of December 1900.
162	5440 / R. 1857	25	Dy. Comrs., Bangalore & Mysore.	Calling for the reports on the completion of the jamabandi of their districts for the year 1899-1900.
163	5444 / R. F. 112-92	25	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of three days' casual leave to Mr. A. Subramanya Iyer, Assistant Commissioner, Tumkur district, with effect from the 28th instant.
164	5445 / R. F. 112-92	25	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
165	5446 / R. F. 112-92	25	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	
166	5447 / R. 1862	25	Do ..	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed acquisition of 1 acre and 23 guntas of land in the village of Kanamara in the Penukonda taluk, Anantapur district, for excavating the left sluice channel of the Bugadur tank in the Pavagada taluk.
167	5448-50 / RF. 13-1900	25	Dy. Comrs., Mysore & Bangalore, & Compr.	Requesting the two Deputy Commissioners to take steps for the early disposal of the cloths bought by Government from the indigent weavers of the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore as a mode of relief and for the adjustment of the advances as speedily as possible; and requesting the Comptroller to report the final adjustment of the advances for the information of Government.
168	5451 / R. 1864	25	Ch. Engr. & Secy. to Govt., P. W. D.	Forwarding for disposal a letter, dated 14th December 1900, from the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, submitting proposals for the construction of a new building for the Survey office.
169	5452 / R. 1865	25	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of ten days' casual leave to J. D. Chinnappavu Pille, Amildar of Honnali, with effect from the 28th December 1900.
170	5453 / R. 1866	25	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
171	5454 / R. 1867	25	Dy. Comr., Shimoga...	
172	5456-65 / R. F. 20-98	25	Dy. Comrs. of Dts., Supt., Rev. Survey, & Comptr.	Forwarding, for opinion, copies of letter, dated 23rd November 1900, from the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, together with its enclosure, recommending allowance and batta to shekdars attending the training class,

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				during the period of their training at Banga lore; sanctioning the payment to each shek dar of a house-rent of one rupee per mensem and directing that the pay and house-ren must be remitted promptly to the Deputy Superintendent of Survey by the Amildar concerned.
173	5467 / R. 1869	26	Registrar, Ch. Court.	Calling for further information regarding th application of Mr. B. Srinivasa Rao, Munsiff o Seringapatam, praying for permission to pur chase certain lands in Seringapatam taluk.
174	5469 / R. 1870	28	First Asst to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Statistica Bureau of the Government of India a state ment showing the wholesale prices of foo grains, &c., in the towns of Bangalore an Mysore for the fortnight ending 15th Janu ary 1901.
175	5470 / R. 1871	28	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Enquiring if any unoccupied assessed land i the Siddapur village cannot be selected an given to the shanbhog of Karanji Bisanahall and Siddapur in Bangalore taluk in lieu o his service inam land taken up for th Basavangudi extension.
176	5475-6 / R. 1873	28	Do, Kolar, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the appropriation for a buria ground of Survey No. 144, measuring 4 acre and 29 guntas in the Gotaganapura village Goribidnur taluk.
177	5477 / R. 1874	28	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of five days' casual leav to Mahomed Obeidulla, Deputy Amildar o Haribar sub-taluk, with effect from the 9t December 1900.
178	5478 / R. 1875	28	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
179	5479 / R. 1876	28	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug.	
180	5480 / R. 1877	28	Do, Kolar .	Enquiring what action was taken by the Deput Commissioner regarding the unauthorize construction of 15 houses in Survey No. 1 in the Asgepalli village, Bagepalli taluk.
181	5482 / R. F. 16-96	28	Do ...	Calling for the vernacular records in connectio with a remission statement for Rs. 299-0-2 o the Bowringpet taluk for the year 1899-190
182	5483 / R. F. 120-96	28	Do ..	Calling for a detailed report regarding th several irregularities noticed by the Inspect or of Agricultural Banks in connection wit the Bank at Sabbanhalli in the Goribidnu taluk, and requesting him to direct the Talu Amildar or an Assistant Commissioner t inspect the Bank at the earliest possibl opportunity.

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183	5484 / R. F. 120-96	28	Inspr. of Agril. Banks.	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
184	5485 / R. F. 159-93	28	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Stating, with certain observations, that the ordinary establishment must do the field boundary marks inspection work thoroughly in the taluks from which measurers have been withdrawn by the Survey Department in connection with the revision of Survey Settlement.
185	5486 / R. F. 90-95	28	Do, Kolar .	Enquiring when, where and how Amildar Nanjunda Naidu received his order of transfer.
186	5559-40 / R. 1887	29	Dy. Comr., Tumkur, & Compt.	Cancelling the three days' casual leave granted to T. Subbaraj Urs, Revenue Probationer, attached to the Tumkur taluk, in Government Proceedings No. 4722-3—R. 1578, dated 15th December 1900.
187	5541-2 / R. F. 6-1900	29	Do, Chitaldrug, and Comptr.	Sanctioning the grant of a loan of Rs. 300 to Gundlappa and others, joint pattedars of Survey No. 48 of Hanagal village, Molakalmuru taluk, for sinking an irrigation well in the said land.
188	5543-4 / R. 1889	29	Do, Bangalore, & do	Recording the Deputy Commissioner's letter reporting that the sum of Rs. 100 advanced in July 1897 to Byra of Byranhalli village, Nelamangala taluk, for sinking an irrigation well in his land was recovered in full and credited back to Government, as he had failed to finish the well within the stipulated time.
189	5545-6 / R. 1890	29	Do, Chitaldrug, & do	Sanctioning the grant of a further loan of Rs. 100 to one Korlonu of Netranhalli village, Molakalmuru taluk, for improving an irrigation well in his holding Survey No. 4 in the said village.
190	5547 / R. 1891	29	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Recording his letter submitting explanation with reference to a discrepancy pointed out in the statement of gomal darkhasts for the quarter ending 30th June 1900.
191	5548-9 / R. 1892	29	Do, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the appropriation, for cremation purposes, of 8 acres and 36 gunts of land situated in certain villages of Billur hobli, Bagepalli taluk.

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192	5550 / R. 1893	29	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Returning the Kolar Deputy Commissioner's memo together with its enclosures regarding the necessity of appointing a Deputy Amildar with 3rd Class Magisterial powers for the Kolar Gold Fields.
193	5551 / R.F. 175-92	29	Secy., Geol. Dept. ..	Forwarding, for disposal, an application, dated 12th December 1900, from one Komarlu Nathaiya Setti of Hunsur praying for permission to collect kurunga stones in the Hunsur taluk.
194	5552 / R. 1895	29	Comptroller ...	Forwarding, for note and return, Shimoga Deputy Commissioner's letter, dated 14th January 1901, reporting his return to duty on the 14th instant from the six days' casual leave granted to him in Notification No. 4964 —R. 1679, dated 3rd instant.
195	5557 / R. 1896	29	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug	Calling for the explanations of Obeidulla and Krishnaswamaiengar, Deputy Amildar and Amildar of Harihar and Davangere, respectively, for their short touring during the month of November 1900.
196	5558 / R. 1897	29	Do, Mysore ...	Requesting that Ramachandra Rao, Amildar of Seringapatam, be required to produce a medical certificate or to return to duty forthwith, as Government are not prepared to accept the Amildar's plea of ill-health.
197	5562 / RF. 13-1900	29	Do ...	Calling the attention of the Deputy Commissioner to the large outstanding of Rs. 4,712-0-6 still due from Madappa of Mysore on account of the cloths purchased by him from Government.
198	5564 / R. 1899	30	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Government of India, two manuscript copies of the return of prices current of food grains and salt in the Mysore State for the fortnight ending 15th January 1901, and the statement showing the wages for labour for the half year ending 31st December 1900.
199	5565 / R. 1900	30	Do ...	Ditto, three statements relating to cotton goods produced in the Mysore State during the month of December 1900.
200	5566 / R. 1901	30	P.R.Venkatasubbaiya, retired Amildar of the Mulbagal Tk., residing in Tumkur	Informing him that as the grant of two years' furlough applied for by him prior to his retirement from service will affect the *sub pro tem* arrangements already made, his request cannot be complied with.
201	5567 / R. 1902	30	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
202	5568 / R. 1903	30	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of eight days' casual leave to Mr. K. Krishna Iyer, Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore district, with effect from the 24th January 1901.

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203	5569 / R. 1904	30	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
204	5570 / R. 1905	30	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	
205	5571 / R. F. 43-98	30	Do Mysore ..	Calling for a statement of further progress made in the preparation of accounts for alienated villages up to the quarter ending 31st December 1900.
206	5572 / R. 1907	30	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of two days' casual leave to Mr. G. Aravamudaiengar, Assistant Commissioner, Hassan district, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.
207	5573 / R. 1908	30	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
208	5574 / R. 1909	30	Dy. Comr., Hassan ...	
209	5575 / R. F. 13-900	30	Do, Bangalore ...	Stating that his letter, dated 4th January 1901, does not contain any information regarding the extent of distress, if any, still prevailing among the weavers of the Bangalore City and how he proposes to meet it.
210	5576 / R. 1911	30	Secy., P. W. D. ...	Forwarding his letter sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 32,918 for restoring Markal Dodkere of Malvalli taluk; and requesting that all the papers in connection therewith may be sent to this office.
211	5577 / R. 1912	30	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Recording his letter submitting an abstract statement showing the itineration of the Amildars and Deputy Amildar in the Kolar district during the month of November 1900.
212	5578 / R. 1913	30	Do, Shimoga ..	Ditto a copy of the review on the diaries of the Amildars and Deputy Amildar in the Shimoga district during the month of November 1900.
213	5579 / R. 1914	30	Do, Mysore ..	Calling for a sketch map in connection with the proposed appropriation, for a burial ground, of three acres of land out of gomal Survey No. 123 in the Kilara village, Mandya taluk.
214	5580-1 / R. 1915	30	Do, Kolar, & Supt., Rev. Survey.	Sanctioning the appropriation, for a burial ground, of Survey Nos. 91 and 92, measuring 7 acres and 6 guntas, in the Gudibanda village, Gudibanda sub-taluk.
215	5582-3 / R. 1916	30	Do ...	Ditto, alienation of 16 guntas of land out of Survey No. 72 in the Angarkanhalli village, Chikballapur taluk, which has been rendered unfit for cultivation owing to the overflow of the waste-weir of the village tank.

REVENUE.

Serial No.	Proceedings. No.	Date.	To whom sent.	Subject and Order.
216	5584 / R. 1917	30	Dy. Comr., Mysore ...	Sanctioning the continuance of the weekly *sante* ordered to be held on every Tuesday in the village of Hoskere, Mandya taluk, tentatively for one year, in Government Proceedings No. 2064—676, dated 6th September 1899.
217	5585 / R. 1918	30	Do ..	Recording his letter submitting a copy of the statement showing the amount expended on the relief work started near Mochi ghat, Mysore City.
218	5586 / R. 1919	30	Officer in charge, Amrut Mahal Dept. & Kunigal Stud Farm.	Forwarding a copy of Volume II (Bulletin No. 42) containing native beliefs regarding the hair-marks on horses and cattle, published by the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Madras; and requesting him to make any additions or alterations he may deem proper in order to make this brochure agree with the sentiments and practices of Mysore people.
219	5595 / R. 1920	30	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the appointment of Ranga Rao, Head Accountant, Tumkur Deputy Commissioner's office, as Acting Dy Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of the Huliyar sub-taluk, until he is relieved by Deputy Amildar Abdul Hakim or until further orders.
220	5596 / R. 1921	30	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
221	5597 / R. 1922	30	Dy. Comr., Tumkur	
222	5598 / R. 1923	31	First Asst to Resdt.	Forwarding, for submission to the Government of India, five printed copies of the return of food grains and salt in the Mysore State for the fortnight ending 31st December 1900.
223	5601 / R. 1925	31	Dy. Comr., Tumkur	Enquiring how long Ranga Rao, Head Accountant of his office, was in charge of the Sira taluk and when he was relieved of the same.
224	5602-3 / R. 1926	31	Do, & Comptr. ...	Sanctioning the retirement of Ramakrishnaiya, Head Gumasta of the Chiknayakanhalli taluk, and the grant to him of one month and 28 days' privilege leave preparatory to such retirement.
225	5604 / R. 1927	31	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Sanctioning the Deputy Commissioner's proposal as regards the grant of fresh lands under the Kurubar Amanikere to the Venugopalaswami temple at Ulawadi in the Chintamani taluk, in lieu of certain wet inam lands of the temple submerged by the restoration of the Hebbari tank in the same taluk; and stating that the compensation for the dry land rendered unfit for cultivation is best paid in money.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.
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TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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1	4977 / R.F. 123-96	3	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of three days' casual leave to Mr. Henry Eagles, Assistant Comptroller, with effect from the 15th December 1900.
2	4978 / R. F. 123-96	3	Comptroller ..	Forwarding a copy of the above.
3	4983 / Fl. 503	3	Do ..	Stating that his establishment has only lately been revised on a liberal scale and that the report called for in connection with the recovery of prices of house sites in the Basavangudi and Malleswaram extensions of the Bangalore City, can be easily prepared and furnished without the aid of an additional accountant.
4	4990 / R.F. 105-93	3	Dy. Comr., Mysore.	Requesting him to explain the difference pointed out regarding the amount realized by the sale of the lands in the Hunsur taluk, belonging to Mr. K. Raje Urs, and to collect the balance still outstanding, *viz.*, Rs. 4,799-12-3, in respect of the lands in the Krishnarajpete taluks belonging to the same individual.
5	4991 / Fl. 504	3	Do, Kolar ...	Stating, with reference to the offer made by Vasudeva Rao, Acting Treasurer of the Kolar District Treasury, of certain landed property situated in the Bellary district as part of his security, that it is inconvenient to accept as security landed property situated outside the State.
6	4992 / Fl. 505	3	Secy., State Life Insur. Comtee.	Stating that it is inexpedient to remove the restriction laid down by the Insurance Rules under which old officials are prohibited from insuring their lives now.
7	5101 / R. F. 150-95	5	Inspr. Gen. of Police.	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed grant of an advance of six months' pay to Puttu Rao, clerk of the office of the Inspector General of Police, to enable him to build a house in the Chamrajendrapet of the Bangalore City.

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8	5102-3 / Fl. 508	5	Dy. Comr, Mysore, & Comptr.	Renewing sanction to an estimate of Rs. 137-15-7, being the cost of belts and brass plates required for the use of the dafadars and peons of certain taluk and other offices.
9	5104-5 / Fl. 509	5	Do	Ditto of Rs. 875-8-0, being the cost of furniture required for the use of the Mysore District Treasury and other offices.
10	5117 / R. F. 17-98	7	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed grant of an advance of one year's pay to Abdul Kudus Meccai, Abkari Inspector of the Nelamangala taluk, to enable him to build a house in the Basavangudi extension, Bangalore City.
11	5128 / R. F. 17-98	8	Dir. of Archl. Researches.	Enquiring whether Ramaswamaiengar, Tamil Pandit of his office, who now wishes to build a house in the Basavangudi extension instead of in Malleswaram, is willing to have the renewal of sanction to the house-building advance subject to the conditions prescribed in Government Proceedings No. 534-573—R. F. 17-98, dated 20th July 1900.
12	5129 / R. F. 156-95	8	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Calling for information on certain points regarding the proposed grant of a second advance of six months' pay to H. Subba Rao, Accountant of the Comptroller's office, to enable him to complete the construction of his house in the Seshadripuram extension of the Bangalore City.
13	5133-4 / Fl. 514	9	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a refund of Rs. 5, being the value of a stamp paper produced by one Rudrappa of Bangalore.
14	5135-6 / Fl. 515	9	Do .	Ditto of one rupee being the value of a stamp paper produced by one Ramaiya, shanbhog of Byramangala in the Closepet sub-taluk.
15	5137-8 / Fl. 516	9	Do, Hassan, & do ..	Ditto of Rs. 10, being the value of a stamp paper produced by one Venkatramanaiya, Pleader, Hole-Narsipur.
16	5147-8 / Fl. 517	10	Do, Chitaldrug, & do	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 26-4-0, being the amount required for purchasing ten sets of interest tables for the use of the District and Taluk offices in the Chitaldrug district.
17	5149-50 / Fl. 518	10	Do, Kadur & do ...	Sanctioning a refund bill for Rs. 30 in favor of Devara Sastri of Hedse village, being the amount collected in excess of kandayam on his lands in certain villages of the Koppa taluk.
18	5180 / R. F. 17-98	11	Chief Engineer ..	Enquiring the amount of bonus payable under the Insurance Policy held by M. Venkat Rao, Head Draughtsman, Executive Engineer's office.
19	5181 / Fl. 520	11	Dy. Comr., Kadur ..	Calling for further information regarding the proposed refund of Rs. 5, being the value of a stamp paper produced by D. Narasinga Rao and Appu Rao of Chikmagalur.

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20	5212-13 / Fl. 522	11	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a refund of Rs. 7-4-0, for reasons stated therein, being the stamp and registration fees first paid by K. Srinivas, measurer Bangalore taluk, in connection with his house-building advance.
21	5288-9 / Fl. 523	15	Do, Shimoga, & do.	Sanctioning a refund bill for Rs. 142-8-9 in favor of Manjappaiya, being the amount of purchase money and kandayam paid by him for 20 acres of land out of S. No. 19 in the Tudur village, Tirthahalli taluk, the sale of which was subsequently cancelled.
22	5290 / Fl. 524	15	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Calling for further information regarding the proposed refund in favor of Venkobachar jodidar of Navaratna Agrahar and Mallenahalli villages, Devanhalli taluk.
23	5291-2 / Fl. 525	15	Do, & Comptr. ...	Sanctioning, with certain remarks, a refund of Rs. 609-6-9 in favor of certain raiyats of the Dodballapur taluk, being the amount of half the wet assessment recovered on their lands prior to the receipt of Government Order dated 15th January 1898, sanctioning remission owing to the failure of the north-east monsoon in 1896-97.
24	5301-2 / Fl. 527	16	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Comptr.	Stating that a sum of Rs. 30,524-13-5 is due mostly from officials on account of sites in the Malleswaram extension of the Bangalore City, and directing the Deputy Commissioner to take steps to recover the large outstanding as speedily as possible and in the manner indicated therein.
25	5323 / Fl. 528	18	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug	Forwarding a copy of the Comptroller's statement regarding advances remaining unadjusted in the Chitaldrug district on 31st December 1899: and calling for further information on certain points noted therein.
26	5400 / Fl. 530	21	Comptroller ...	Recording his letter reporting the results of his examination of the State Huzur Treasury on the 3rd instant.
27	5407 / R. F. 17-98	22	Consvr. of Forests ...	Declining to sanction an advance of one year's pay to P. Krishna Rao, an accountant of his office, for house-building purposes, as he did not insure his life.
28	5408-9 / Fl. 532	22	Dy. Comr., Hassan, & Compt.	Sanctioning a refund bill for Rs. 27-10-0 in favor of one Karigauda of Buvanahalli village Hassan taluk, being the value of grass and silt purchased by him at an auction sale which was subsequently set aside.
29	5410 / Fl. 533	22	Someswara Iyer, clerk, Dewan's Private Secy.'s office.	Forwarding, for attention, a letter from the Secretary to the Insurance Committee requesting that Someswara Iyer may be directed to take delivery of his policy and premium Receipt Book from the Officer in charge of the State Huzur Treasury after payment of the first premium.

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30	5466 / Fl. 534	26	E. R. Subroyer, Esq., Comptr.	Stating that Government regret their inability to grant a second advance of six months' pay or a special loan applied for by him to improve his house in Crescent Street, High Ground, Bangalore.
31	5468 / Fl. 535	28	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding nine copies of the Report on the Working of the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme for the year 1899-1900.
32	5487 / Fl. 536	28	Dy. Comr., Hassan.	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed refund of Rs. 6, being the value of a stamp paper produced by one Narasimmiah, Krishnarajpete hobli of the Arkalgud taluk.
33	5496 / R. F. 17-98	28	Supt. Rev. Survey.	Enquiring about the amount of bonus payable to Adinarayan Shivaramiah, karkun in the Head-quarter Survey Record office, under his Insurance Policy.
34	5497 / Fl. 538	28	Excise Comr. ...	Enquiring why as many as 15 rubber stamps are required for the use of the Excise Commissioner's office and whether these stamps are intended to be made for the first time now or to replace existing ones which have become unserviceable.
35	5498-9 / Fl. 539	28	Agril. Chemist, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a detailed contingent bill for Rs. 96-0-9 of the office of the Agricultural Chemist for the month of December 1900.
36	5500-5501 / Fl. 540	28	Dy. Comr., Tumkur. & Comptr.	Sanctioning a refund of Rs. 1-1-0 to one Gangegauda of Buchanahalli village, Tumkur taluk, being the amount of assessment collected from him on certain sites which were subsequently found to be hittals and therefore not assessable.
37	5502-3 / Fl. 541	28	Presdt., Bangalore City Muny. & Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 313-13-10 in favor of Mr. C. Sreekanteswara Iyer for getting a stone revetment built to a public drain adjoining his bungalow No. 3 in Seshadripuram, Bangalore City, in 1895.
38	5504 / R. F. 87-92	28	Ch. Engr. & Secy. to Govt., P. W. D.	Accepting the explanation of Mr. St. John Buchan, Examiner, Public Works and Railway Accounts, in regard to the difficulties that exist in fully adhering to Mr. Biddulph's Manual; and stating that the Examiner's letter explaining the difficulty will be submitted to the Hon'ble the British Resident for further instructions in the matter.
39	5505 / Fl. 543	28	Inspr. Gen. of Edn.	Stating, with certain observations, that the present application for compensation on behalf of Miss Palethorpe, Lady Superintendent of the Maharani's College, Mysore, is inadmissible under the Codal Rules.
40	5527 / R. F. 150-95	29	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Stating that Kristappa, gollar, Bangalore District Treasury, cannot get an advance of six months' pay for house-building purposes un-

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				der the Codal Rules, but that, if the applicant wishes, an advance will be sanctioned under Government Proceedings No. 534-73—R. F. 17-98, dated 20th July 1900, subject to the payment of interest at 4 per cent and on the understanding that his case fulfils all the conditions laid down therein.
41	5528 / Fl. 545	29	Comptroller ...	Forwarding for information a copy of letter, dated 9th January 1901, from the First Assistant to the Resident together with its enclosure regarding the supply of sovereigns and pie-pieces to the Mysore Durbar.
42	5529-30 / Fl. 546	29	Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & Comptr.	Sanctioning a refund bill for Rs. 10 in favor of one Narasimmiah of Parachanapalya, Closepet sub-taluk, being the amount of fine imposed upon him for unauthorizedly using the water of the Vrishabhavati river but subsequently remitted.
43	5531-2 / Fl. 547	29	Do, Chitaldrug, & do.	Ditto for Rs. 4-1-0 in favor of one Gangaiya of Sancballi village, Hosdurga sub-taluk, being the price of a building site recovered from him but subsequently ordered to be refunded as the site was not the property of Government.
44	5533 / R. F. 150-95	29	Ch. Comdt., M. S. T.	Stating that the second advance of six months' pay applied for by H. Venkat Rao, Squardon writer, Imperial Service Regiment, for completing the construction of his house in Seshadripuram of the Bangalore City, cannot be sanctioned under the Codal Rules while the first advance remains still unliquidated.
45	5534-6 / R. F. 17-98	29	Comptr., Dy. Comrs., Bangalore & Kolar.	Sanctioning the grant of an advance of one year's pay, *viz.*, Rs. 180 to H. Venkatanaranappa, gumasta, Chikballapur Sub-Division office, to enable him to build a house in the Basavangudi extension, Bangalore City.
46	5537-8 / R. F. 17-98	29	Do, & Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Ditto, *viz.*, Rs. 420, to D. Ramanuja Iyengar, 3rd Grade Accountant of the Comptroller's office, ditto.
47	5553 / R. F. 17-98	29	Secy., P. W. D. ...	Forwarding an application from Taluk mestri A. S. Dorasami Mudaliar praying for a house building advance, and enquiring what the bonus is that is payable under the applicant's Insurance Policy.
48	5563 / Fl. 553	29	First Asst. to Resdt.	Requesting him to ascertain for the information of the Durbar whether in the case of Postal officials, insurance of their lives is compulsory under the Postal Insurance Rules, in other words, whether a person's ineligibility for Insurance is a bar to his entering the Postal service.
49	5587 / Fl. 554	30	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed refund of Rs. 5, being

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				the value of a stamp paper produced by one Giriyamma of Tumkur.
50	5588 / R. F. 17-98	30	Dir. of Archl. Researches.	Enquiring how long B. Srinivasaiengar, Pandit of his office, is likely to be retained in service, and observing that the special concession rules in connection with house-building advances cannot be made applicable to officials whose retirement is likely to be ordered before the expiry of the period required for repayment.
51	5589 / R. F. 17-98	30	Dy.Comr.,Bangalore.	Enquiring about the amount of bonus payable to Abdul Kudus Meccai, Abkari Inspector of the Nelamangala taluk, under the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme.
52	5591-2 / R. F. 86-95	30	Do, Kadur & Comptr.	Sanctioning, as a special case, an advance of Rs. 255 for dafadars and other menial servants of the Koppa taluk to enable them to build temporary huts for their accommodation in Balgadi (Koppa) on the security of their house sites, deductions being made monthly from the pay of the men concerned.
53	5605 / R. F. 17-98	31	Inspr. Gen. of Regn.	Calling for further information on certain points regarding the proposed grant of an advance of one year's pay to K. Subbanna, Sub-Registrar of Nanjangud, to enable him to build a house in the Chamrajendra extension of the Mysore City.
54	5646 / Fl. 561	31	Viranniah of Belur, Hassan Dt.	Informing him that Government are satisfied that certain unused Court-fee stamps, complained of as having been lost in transit were duly sent back to him from the District office.
55	5647-9 / R.F. 150-95	31	Comptr., Dy. Comr., Bangalore, & I. G. of Police.	Sanctioning the grant of an advance of six months' pay, *viz.*, Rs. 240, to M. S. Puttu Rao, clerk in the office of the Inspector General of Police, to enable him to build a house in the Chamrajpete extension of the Bangalore City.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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EXCISE

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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1	4962 / Ex. F. 12-96	3	Excise Comr. ...	Reviewing the statements of arrack consumption in the separate shops in the Mysore State during the months of July, August and September 1900.
2	4993-4 / Ex. F. 3-97	4	Do, & Comptr. ..	Sanctioning a refund bill for Rs. 247-1-7 on account of the opium revenue due to the Sringeri Matt for the years 1896-97, 1897-98 and 1898-99.
3	5106 / Ex. F. 5-95	7	Excise Comr. ..	Forwarding, for needful being done, duplicates of permits Nos. 586 to 645 issued by the Nilgiri Collector for the export of beer from the Nilgiri Brewery to the Kolar Gold Fields.
4	5130 / Ex. 240	8	Do ..	Sanctioning the inclusion in the foreign liquor license granted to Messrs. Elder and Yool, Mudgere taluk, of the brand "Fine Milton Duff Whisky" which the licensees are permitted to import in casks and bottle on their premises.
5	5132 / Ex. 241	9	Comptroller ...	Forwarding, for note and return, Excise Commissioner's letter, dated 20th December 1900, reporting that Mr. K. Mathan, Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore Excise Division, who was on special duty at Mysore, having been relieved of it on the evening of Monday the 10th December 1900, returned to the Excise Department on the forenoon of the 17th idem.
6	5146 / Ex. F. 14-98	10	Excise Comr. ...	Recording his letter submitting the return of stock of liquor at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore, for the fortnight ending 15th December 1900.
7	5145 / Ex. F. 5-95	10	Do ...	Forwarding, for needful being done, duplicate Permits Nos. 648 to 652 and 654 issued by the Nilgiri Collector for exporting beer from the Nilgiri Brewery to the Kolar Gold Fields.

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8	5169 / Ex 244	10	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of one month's privilege leave to Mr. K. Mathan, Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore Excise Division, with effect from the 3rd January 1901 or such other date as he may avail himself of the same.
9	5170 / Ex. 245	10	Comptrolier ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
10	5171 / Ex. 246	10	Excise Comr. ..	
11	5176 / Ex. 247	10	Supt,. Govt. Printing.	Requesting him to expedite the printing of the Excise Administration Report for 1899-1900 and to state when the interleaved copies may be expected to be transmitted to the Excise Commissioner.
12	5177 / Ex. 248	10	Excise Comr. ..	Forwarding copy of the above.
13	5178 / Ex F. 6-97	11	First Asst. to Resdt.	Stating that there were no breweries in operation in the Mysore State (exclusive of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore) during the year ending 31st December 1900.
14	5179 / Ex. F. 16-97	11	Do ..	Stating that there were no cases of opium smuggling in the Mysore State during the half year ending 31st December 1900.
15	5261 / Ex. F. 14-98	12	Excise Comr. ...	Recording his letter submitting the return of stock of liquor at the Government Central Distillery for the fortnight ending 31st December 1900.
16	5260 / R.F. 257-92	12	Do ...	Returning, for correction or explanation, the bills on account of the arrack revenue payable to the Sringeri Jahgirdar as the total of the items of deductions shown in the statement of arrack duty due to the Jahgirdar, seemed incorrect.
17	5298 / Ex. F. 20-98	16	Do .	Recording his letter submitting a copy of the register of issues of arrack from the Government Central Distillery to the Depots in the State during the month of November 1900.
18	5299 / Ex. F. 21-98	16	Do ..	Recording his letter submitting an abstract of the arrack stock balance statement of the Government Central Distillery for the month of November 1900.
19	5300 / Ex. F. 7-97	16	Sivegauda, patel & coffee planter, Devaladakere, Manjarabad Tk.	Informing him that Government decline to interfere with the endorsement granted by the Excise Commissioner to the effect that a free license cannot be granted for tapping toddy-yielding trees in coffee estates for the purpose of consumption, as the said endorsement is in accordance with the final orders passed by the Government on the subject.

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20	5311-12 / Ex. 256	17	Ex. Comr., & Comptr.	Disallowing as inadmissible the larger claim for compensation preferred by Devasikamani Mudaliar, licensee of separate arrack shops Nos. 16 and 17 at Masikam, Kolar Gold Fields, for 1898-99; and sanctioning a remission of Rs. 817-6 4 only, as recommended by the Excise Commissioner.
21	5341 / Ex. 257	19	Excise Comr. ..	Observing that, in cases in which the offenders against the Excise Act have been leniently dealt with, the proper course is to bring such instances to the notice of the District Magistrate; and requesting that as regards an armed Police being placed at the service of the Detective Supervisor at Mysore, specific proposals may be made in consultation with the Inspector General of Police.
22	5342 / Ex. 258	19	Supt., Govt Print'ng.	Returning the final proofs of Note, &c., on the question of Inamdars' right to toddy revenue; and requesting that 12 clean copies may be struck off and sent to this office.
23	5343 / Ex. F. 3-98	19	Excise Comr. .	Declining to grant the refund of Rs. 3,000 recommended in favor of Messrs. Bajjanna and Maigondadeva Mudaliar, Government arrack carriage contractors, in consideration of the heavy loss they were put to in making good the price and duty of arrack misappropriated by their depot mutsaddi at Arsikere.
24	5344-5 / Ex.F. 21-96	19	Do, & Comptr. ..	Sanctioning the annual issue of the required quantity of spirit, 60° O. P. at cost price, *duty free*, for the *bona fide* use of St. Martha's Hospital, Bangalore.
25	5375 / Ex. 261	19	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of 11 days' casual leave, from 21st October 1900, to Mr. Abdul Aziz, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Excise Department, in supersession of the seven days' casual leave granted to him in Notification No. 1738—Ex. 99, dated 23rd August 1900.
26	5376 / Ex. 262	19	Comptroller .	Forwarding copy of the above.
27	5377 / Ex. 263	19	Excise Comr. ..	
28	5378 / Ex. 264	19	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the cancellation of the unexpired portion, *viz*, two days, of the one month's privilege leave granted to Mr. Abdul Aziz in Notification No. 4457—Ex. 220, dated 7th December 1900.

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29	5379 / Ex. 265	19	Comptroller ..	Forwarding copy of the preceding.
30	5380 / Ex. 266	19	Excise Comr. ..	
31	5381 / Ex. 267	19	Do .	Stating that Government are not in favor of reserving the date trees standing on certain occupied lands of the Konasandra village, Kankanhalli taluk, in the way suggested by the Excise Commissioner, but that they will have no objection to the lands being acquired provided it be profitable for Government to do so; and requesting him to ascertain if this is the case and submit a report with an estimate of the cost.
32	5401-2 / Ex. 268	21	Do, & Comptr. ...	Sanctioning, for three months, subject to a report being made at the end of that period, a detective establishment at a total cost of Rs. 420 to prevent illicit distillation, &c., in the Kolar Gold Fields.
33	5474 / Ex. F. 1-95	28	First Asst. to Resdt.	Requesting the favor of arrangements being made for the early supply of the ten half-chests of opium applied for in this office letter No. 4929—Ex. F. 1-95, dated 24th ultimo, as there is no stock of unopened chests of opium left in the State Huzur Treasury.
34	5506 / Ex.F. 19-98	29	Excise Comr. ..	Forwarding a petition from Singaiengar, retired Excise Inspector, praying that he may be retained in service for some time more.
35	5593-4 / Ex.F. 10-98	30	Do & Comptr. ..	Sanctioning a remission of Rs. 2,510-10-7 in favor of Yellappa, licensee of the Davangere group of toddy shops for 1899-1900, on the grounds stated.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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1	1154	4	Padmaraja Chetti, Sringeri, Koppa Tk.	Returning petition, for not producing the order complained of.
2	P. 836	4	Editor, *Vrithanta Patrika*, Mysore City.	Returning his letter *in re*, the allegations against the taluk officials of Manjarabad with the observation that such communication by an Editor to a Member of Council is irregular and that the party complaining may directly address Government in the matter.
3	860—4	5	G. Mallappaiya and ors., Suthkote, Shimoga Tk.	Informing them that there are no grounds to interfere with the order of the Deputy Commissioner *in re* the pateli of Belagavi, Shikarpur Tk.
4	5081 / P.F. 31-1900	5	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Forwarding copy of the above, for information, with records.
5	1051—4	5	G. Mallappaiya and two ors., Suthkote, Shimoga Tk.	Informing them that there are no grounds to interfere with the order of the Deputy Commissioner *in re* the pateli of Kalmane village, Shikarpur taluk.
6	5082 / P. F. 30-1900	5	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Forwarding copy of the above, for information, with records.
7	1052—4	5	G. Mallappaiya and two ors., Suthkote village, Shimoga Tk.	Informing them that their appeal against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, *in re* the pateli of Isur, Shikarpur taluk, is rejected.
8	5083 / P. F. 29-1900	5	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Forwarding copy of the above, for information, with records.
9	5143 / P. 870	10	Dy. Comr., Kolar .	Forwarding, for such action as he may take in the matter, a telegram from the cultivators of wet lands below the Kallur tank, Kolar taluk, complaining of the lowering of the waste weir together with a copy of the Chief Engineer's letter thereon.
0	5144 / P. 871	10	Do, Tumkur ...	Requesting him to issue an amended and correct endorsement to Sidda, toti of Gubbi kasba, *re* his claim to the toti office of Gubbi amanikere.
1	P. 872	10	Do, Bangalore ...	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the case of Channegauda of Honniganahalli, Channapatna taluk, ap-

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				pealing against his order declining to appoint his son as patel-gumasta of the above village.
12	1075	10	Channegauda, Honniganahalli, Channapatna Tk.	Informing him of the above.
13	P. 873	10	Dy. Comr., Kadur ..	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the case of Bojaiyagauda, Sulybylu village, Koppa taluk, appealing against his order directing the levy of seigniorage on the excess quantity of timber removed by the petitioner.
14	1077	10	Bojaiyagauda, Sulybylu village, Koppa Tk.	Informing him of the above.
15	P. 874	10	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the case of Nilappa of Kasba Honnali, appealing against his order *re* the cancellation of the sale of S. No. 25 of Holemadapura, Honnali taluk, for arrears of revenue.
16	949	10	Nilappa, Kasba Honnali.	Informing him of the above.
17	P. 875	10	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Forwarding, a petition from S. N. Krishnaswami, son of S. N. Ramaswami Iyengar, retired Deputy Registrar, Chief Court, praying for an appointment.
18	P. 877	10	Muzrai Secy. .	Transferring, for needful, a petition from C. Krishnaiengar of Mysore, complaining of the Muzrai Secretary's action *in re* the improvement and reformation of certain Muzrai institutions under his charge.
19	P. 878	10	Muzrai Secy. ...	Transferring, for needful, a petition from Trivedi Subba Bhatta and Mahadeva Bhatta, Dharmadhikaris of Ghati Subrahmanyaswami Devastana, Dodballapur taluk, praying that the Rathotsavam of the above temple may be celebrated quite in accordance with long established mamul.
20	1375	12	J. Cooper, 141, Popham's Broadway.	Informing him that the Durbar regret their inability to find a suitable post for him.
21	5248 / P. 879	12	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Calling for information on certain points connected with the delay in the submission of report *in re* the alleged petition of certain raiyats of Kudlur sarvamanya village.
22	694	12	M. Nanjegauda, Mavinahalli, Tipturtk.	Informing him that his appeal *in re* the pateli of Mavinahalli is rejected.
23	P. 880	12	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	Forwarding copy of the above, with records, for information.
24	P. 881	15	Do ...	Forwarding, for early report, a telegram from some person of Katteganahalli, complaining of non-supply of water to his crop.

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25	5307-8 / P. 882	17	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Directing that the claim of Government to contribution towards the repair of Madivala tank in Bowringpet taluk be allowed to abate.
26	Do	17	Secy., D. P. W. ...	Forwarding copy of the above, for information.
27	5309 / P. 883	17	Dy. Comr., Hassan..	Calling for a further report to be submitted after a period of six months on the petition of Channegauda *in re* the pateli of Honnenahalli, Hassan taluk.
28	P. 884	17	Do, Bangalore ...	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Abdul Razaik, schoolmaster, Dodballapur, praying for promotion.
29	1371	17	Abdul Razaik, schoolmaster, Dodballapur.	Informing him of the above.
30	P. 885	17	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Calling for a full report of the facts of the case *in re* the petition of Rama Sastri, dasavantadar of Attekere and other tanks of Chandravalli, Ambajidurga hobli, Chintamani taluk, praying for remission of kandayam and stay of sale of his lands for arrears of revenue.
31	P. 886	17	Do, Mysore ..	Forwarding the petition of Baigam Bee, daughter-in-law of Mir Abdul Samat Khan, Mysore, with a request to inform petitioner that the further advancement of Mir Mohamed Hussain Khan depends on his passing the required tests and on his giving satisfaction in his present post.
32	P. 887	17	Forest Secy. ...	Transferring, for disposal, a petition from Abdul Khader, Goribidnur, Kolar, praying for the refund of the sum due to him from the Forest Department.
33	P. 888	17	Muzrai Secy. ..	Ditto, from Mahadeva Bhatta and another of Dodballapur, praying that the Subrahmanyaswami festival might be celebrated in accordance with time-honored mamul.
34	5310 / P. F. 83-99	18	Regr., Chief Court ...	Forwarding, for the decision of the Chief Court, a statement under S. No. 226 of the Land Revenue Code, *in re* the appeal petition of B. Venkatiga and others of Maraganakunte, Bagepalli taluk.
35	2687	18	Syed Ghouse Sha Kadri, Sri Guru Dattadri, Baba Budanswami, Chikmagalur.	Rejecting his claim to sandalwood in the Suraguppe inam village.

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36	P. F. 49-99	18	Dy. Comr., Kadur ...	Forwarding copy of the preceding, with records, for information.
37	P. F. 19-99	18	Do, Bangalore ...	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the case of Satagopaiengar appealing against his order *in re* the resumption in 1879 of his inam in Kogile village.
38	Do	18	Survey Supt. ..	Ditto of a report on the facts of the case above mentioned together with the settlement papers relating thereto.
39	168—1770	18	Satagopaiengar, Siddikatte, Bangalore City.	Informing him of the above.
40	5356 / P. F. 37-99	19	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Informing him that the appeal of Tippaiya of Cheniya, against his order *in re* the shanbhogi of Gerkahalli circle, has been rejected, as the appellant is debarred from holding shanbhogi office.
41	604—1	19	Tippaiya of Cheniya, Nagamangala Tk.	Informing him of the above.
42	P. 898	19	Military Secy. .	Transferring, for disposal, a petition from Gulam Ahmed, son of the late Rajakhan Bakshi, Peshkar Mohalla, Mysore, praying for a suitable post in the Military Department.
43	P. 899	19	Secy., D. P. W. ...	Ditto from P. Basappa and others of Jolenhalli and other villages, Maddagiri taluk, praying for the raising of the kodi and bund of the Jolenhalli tank.
44	1120	19	K. Rangaswami Iyengar, Fort, Mysore City.	Referring petitioner to endorsement No. 684, dated 8th November 1900, giving purport.
45	5346 / P. F. 32-1900	19	Dy. Comr., Tumkur..	Informing him that the appeal of Venkatasubba Jois of Tumkur *re* his complaint regarding the levy of assessment on the excess found in certain of his inams has been rejected and that the order directing the collection of khalsat from him to be held in abeyance is accordingly withdrawn.
46	5385 / P. F. 13-1900	21	Do, Kolar ...	Stating that the vernacular papers referred to in his letter No. 2017—343, dated 29th November 1900, were forwarded to his office with the Government Order No. 3363-64—P. F. 13-1900, dated 23rd October 1900.

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47	5384 / P. F. 14-98	21	Dy. Comr., Mysore ..	Informing him that copies of No. 6 (Selections) are not available, and that this office Issue Book shows that six copies of Selections No. 2 were despatched to him by parcel post on the 13th November 1900.
48	5383 / P. 900	21	Supt., Rev. Survey...	Forwarding, for opinion, the records connected with the appeal of A. Mahadeva Mudaliar of Tumkur, *in re* the levy of khalsat and water-rate on his inam lands.
49	5382 / P. F. 33. 1900	21	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Informing him that the appeal of Venkataramaiya of Chiktuppur, Gundlupet taluk, *in re* the shanbhogi of the above place has been dismissed.
50	1—337	21	Venkataramaiya *alias* Ramanna, Chiktuppur, Gundlupet Tk.	Informing him of the above.
51	5406 / P. F. 34-1900	22	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	Informing him that his order *in re* the pateli office of Ooje Konada Lakkavanahalli, Sira taluk, has been reversed.
52	1446—4	22	Chikkagauda & Chindagirigauda, Ooje Konada Lakkavanahalli, Sira Tk.	Informing them of the above.
53	P. 906	25	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug	Forwarding, for disposal, a telegram from G. Timmaiya of Nerlekunte and a copy of the statement made by the raiyats of the above village complaining of the conduct of their lately dismissed patel and praying that the pateli might be bestowed on some one unconnected with the dismissed patel's family.
54	5455 / P. F. 54-99	28	Do, Tumkur ..	Sanctioning the assumption by Government of the management of Benakankere Agrahar, Tiptur taluk, and the entertainment of the necessary establishment thereto.
55	P. 907	28	Do ...	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the appeal of K. Chikkalinga of Gundlahalli, Maddagiri taluk, *in re* his claim to water his land from the well situated in S. No. 41 of the above village.
56	1115	28	K. Chikkalinga, Gundlahalli, Maddagiri Tk.	Informing him of the above.

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57	1363	28	P. V. Venkatasubbaiya, 18, Kotagai Virabadrappa's lane, Arlepete, Bangalore.	Informing him that he should produce copy of order passed on his representation to local officers.
58	1350	28	M. Narasinga Rajivanta, Pavagada.	Returning petitions, being unstamped and unaccompanied by the orders complained of.
59	1342	28	Puttavenkatappa, Devalakere, Pavagada.	
60	1201	28	Aswadhiya Lakshminarayana Bhatta, Chikballapur.	
61	1332	28	G. Narasimhamurthappa, Chikballapur.	
62	1376	28	Vasudevaiya, Chandakavadi, Chamrajnagar.	Referring petitioner to endorsement granted on his previous petition and asking him to produce copy of the last order of Magistrate or other local officer complained of.
63	1232	28	Venkatakrishnappa & Naranappa, Palhalli, Seringapatam Tk.	Returning petition, for being unstamped and for explanation of the delay of two years and five months in appealing.
64	1116	28	Venkataramanaiya, Begur hobli, Nelamangala Tk.	Returning enclosures and informing petitioner that the potgi register of 1864, copy of which is applied for, is not available in the records.
65	1346	28	Subbanna, jodidar of Hariharpura, Maddagiri Tk., Tumkur Dt.	Returning petition for insufficiency of stamp and for explanation of the delay of two months and five days in appealing.
66	1339	28	Timmappa, patel of Kodeganahalli, Maddagiri Tk.	Ditto for explanation of the appeal being out of time by more than two months.
67	1009	28	Krishnappa, Karnikara Magadi.	Returning stamp and informing petitioner that the record, copy of which is required, is not traceable.
68	1260	28	C. Vyasa Rao, Sheristadar, Belur.	Returning petition, for submission through his departmental superior.

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69	1095	28	Chikkachowdegauda & ors. of Upperakanahalli, Doddahobli, Mandya Tk.	Informing them that the work prayed for cannot be taken up as a relief work, as there is now no necessity for it.
70	P. 909	29	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Forwarding, for early disposal, a petition from Balagai Ranga of Hebbalalu village, Magadi taluk, complaining of the non-disposal of his appeal by the Deputy Commissioner, *in re* the removal of the ane in No. 29 of the said village by the order of the Division Officer of Closepet.
71	1119	29	Balagai Ranga, Hebbalalu, Magadi Tk.	Informing him of the above.
72	P. 910	29	Dy. Comr., Shimoga	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Timmanna and others of Nagar, stating that the enquiry regarding the unauthorised felling of some jack trees belonging to Government by one Nanjaiya was not conducted properly by the Amildar, and praying for fresh enquiry.
73	1338	29	Timmanna & ors. of Nagar.	Informing them of the above.
74	P. 911	29	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Srinivasa Rao of Channakesavapuram, Pavagada taluk, praying that dry rates might be levied for his lands under Gundrahalli Majare tank till the same is restored.
75	1343	29	Srinivasa Rao, Channakesavapuram, Pavagada Tk.	Informing him of the above.
76	P. 912	29	Dy. Comr., Tumkur..	Forwarding, for early disposal, a petition from Subbarayappa, shanbhog of Rajavanti, Pavagada taluk, stating that the refund of excess assessment recovered from him prior to *Hevilambi* has not been sanctioned, and praying for the early sanction of the same.
77	1340	29	Subbarayappa, shanbhog of Rajavanti, Pavagada Tk.	Informing him of the above.
78	P. 913	29	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Venkataramaiya, agent of sarvamanyam Devamba Agrahar, Krishnarajpete taluk, praying that orders might be issued for the early disbursement of arrears of pay due to him from the year 1890 to 1898.
79	1320	29	Venkataramaiya, agent of sarvamanyam Devamba Agrahar, Krishnarajpete Tk.	Informing him of the above.

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80	P. 914	29	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	Forwarding, the petition of T. Krishnappa of Maruvekere, Maddagiri taluk, praying for pension or gratuity for his services as Kannada schoolmaster and shanbhog of the above village or for the gift of an appointment.
81	1284	29	T. Krishnappa, Maruvekere, Maddagiri Tk.	Informing him of the above.
82	P. 915	29	Dy. Comr., Kadur ..	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Jade Mallanna and others of Hiriyur, Kadur taluk, praying for the grant of the assessed waste lands of Jammapura for an upset price.
83	1311	29	Jade Mallanna, Hiriyur, Kadur Tk.	Informing him of the above.
84	P. 916	29	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Ramakrishnachar of Sakki, Jagalur taluk, complaining of the conduct of the shanbhog of the above village.
85	P. 917	29	Do, Bangalore .	Ditto from Daku Bayi, widow of the late Venkanna, taluk shroff, Hoskote, praying that the appointment of her late husband might be conferred on her brother.
86	1141	29	Daku Bayi, widow of the late Venkanna, Tk. shroff, Hoskote.	Informing her of the above.
87	P. 918	29	Dy. Comr., Tumkur...	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Basappa and others of Jolenahalli and other villages of Maddagiri hobli, praying for remission of assessment on their wet and dry lands for the current year.
88	1283	29	Basappa & ors. of Jolenahalli & or. villages, Maddagiri hobli, Maddagiri Tk.	Informing them of the above.
89	P. 919	29	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Forwarding for disposal, a petition from Vedantachar and others of Khadamigge, Kikkeri hobli, Krishnarajpete taluk, complaining of the levy of excess water-rate on their lands and praying for stay of sale.
90	1364	29	Vedantachar & ors., Kadamigge, Kikkeri hobli, Krishnarajpete Tk.	Informing them of the above.

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91	P. 920	29	Inspr. Gen. of Regn.	Forwarding an anonymous petition alleged to be from the raiyats of Chiknayakanhalli, complaining of the conduct of Lakshminaranappa, registration gumasta of the said taluk.
92	P. 921	29	Dy. Comr., Hassan...	Forwarding, for early disposal, a petition from Ramaganda, patel of Chetnahalli, Belur taluk, complaining of the non-disbursal of the potgi amount due to him for a year.
93	1277	29	Rameganda, patel of Chetnahalli, Belur Tk.	Informing him of the above.
94	P. 922	29	Dt. Magte., Chitaldrug.	Forwarding, for early disposal, a petition from Koncha of Haliyur, Chitaldrug taluk, praying for fresh enquiry regarding the murder of his wife by one Bora, who was let off in the Sessions for want of evidence.
95	1190	29	Koncha of Haliyur, Chitaldrug Tk.	Informing him of the above.
96	P. 923	29	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the case of Mudappa, jodidar of Vadarahalli, Bowringpet taluk, appealing against his order declining to remit Rs. 750, being his share incurred towards the repair of the village tank.
97	520	29	Mudappa, jodidar of Vadarahalli, Bowringpet Tk.	Informing him of the above.
98	5559 / P. 924	29	Dy. Comr., Tumkur ..	Calling for further report at an early date on the petition of Puttappa of Mathod, Hosdurga sub-taluk, *in re* the shanbhogi of Bhogasandra, Gubbi taluk.
99	5560 / P. 925	29	Do, Hassan ..	Directing him to dispose of the land in accordance with Government Proceedings No. 4462—R. 1417, dated 19th December 1899, and grant an endorsement to the petitioner, *in re* the petition of havildar Mahomed Bhurkhan of Arkalgud, praying for the grant of S. No. 49 in Ankanaikanhalli free of an upset price.
100	5561 / P. 926	29	Do, Tumkur ..	Calling for further report on the petition of Madar Sab of Gubbi claiming compensation for the submersion of his lands caused by the restoration of Mavinkere tank.

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101	1168	30	Lakshminaranappa, Yedatore.	Directing him to seek redress in the lower courts before approaching Government.
102	1128	30	Bharathi Sampangiramaiya, Anniammangudi St., Bangalore.	Referring petitioner to endorsement No. 658, dated 23rd November 1900.
103	1118	30	H. Horakerappa, Padighatta, Holalkere Tk.	Returning petition for explanation of the appeal being out of time by more than ten months.
104	1104	30	Ramegauda, Bettegere, Bunak magani, Mudgere Tk.	Referring petitioner to endorsement No. 2010, dated 13th October 1900, giving purport.
105	1105	30	Venkatasami Naidu, agent of Rai Bahadur D.R. Arcot Narayansami Mudlr., kayamguttadar of Katriguppe, Bangalore.	Asking petitioner to explain from what office endorsement No. 8463, dated 8th September 1870, copy of which is applied for, was issued.
106	1267	30	Munegauda, patel of Addiganahalli, Devanhalli.	Returning petitions, for being unstamped and unaccompanied by the orders complained of.
107	1156	30	Srimatiyamma, mother & guardian of minors Padmanabhaiya & Dharmapalaiya, Sringeri, Koppa Tk.	
108	474	30	Nanjappa, son of Tigalar Govindappa, Ramagondanahalli, Varthur hobli, Bangalore Tk.	Declining to interfere with the order of the Deputy Commissioner fining petitioner Rs. 10 for building a house without license on assessed land in Ramagondanahalli.
109	1078	30	Bogaiyagauda, Sollebile Baggunji magani, Koppa Tk.	Ditto with the Deputy Commissioner's order confirming the levy of twice the sayer duty on the petitioner's arecanut for default in producing the article and kulwar chit within a reasonable time.
110	904—1062	30	Kempa, toti, Karimangala, Bowringpet Tk.	Informing petitioner that as the land is not his, the tree standing thereon cannot be his.
111	1102	30	A. Naranaiengar of Melkote, Kempananjamba Agrahar, Mysore.	Ditto that unless he specifies the charities referred to in his petition no copies can be granted.

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112	992	30	Lakshminarasimhachar, Dharmarjitasangha, Krishnarajpete Tk.	Informing that his petition No. 712 has been despatched to the Deputy Commissioner for early disposal by endorsement, on 19th November 1900, and accordingly he should now produce the endorsement granted.
113	1136	30	Do ...	Returning petition, for not producing the order complained of.
114	1366	30	Sher Khan, son of Imam Bi of the Bara Imam Makan, Kolar.	Ditto, for not producing the searching fee of eight annas.
115	2044—1	30	Venkateganda, Kardiganahalli, Mulbagal Tk.	Rejecting his appeal against the order of the Deputy Commissioner declining to interfere in the dispute relating to the alteration of certain boundary marks set up by the Survey Department in Byatanur village.
116	P. 927	30	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Forwarding copy of the above, with records, for information.
117	P. 928	30	Muzrai Secy. ...	Transferring, for disposal, in continuation of the previous petitions, a petition from Srinivasamurthi, grandson of Arunachala Pandit, Dharmakartha of Prasanna Venkataramanaswami, Dodballapur, praying that the management of the above mentioned temple might rest with him.
118	P. 929	30	Sany. Suptg. Engr...	Forwarding, for disposal by endorsement, a petition from M. R. Annaji Rao and other house-owners in Sampagai avenue, Malleswaram extension, complaining of the damage done to their houses by the blasting of a rock near by.
119	P. 930	30	Inspr. Gen. of Edn..	Ditto, a petition from S. K. Dutt, 58—7, Eden Hindu Hotel, Calcutta, praying for information about the ensuing Civil Service Examination.
120	P. 931	30	Chief Engineer ...	Calling for information on certain points connected with the appeal petition of the raiyats of Byadahalli and Siddanhalli, Bowringpet taluk, *in re* the levy of the cost of earth-work done to their village tanks.
121	P. 932	30	Senior Surgeon ...	Requesting to be informed whether the procedure referred to in Government Proceedings No. 5906-45—Mis. 1235, dated 29th October 1900, has been followed in the dismissal of vaccinator Rangaswami Naidu.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
122	P. 933	30	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Requesting submission of the entire proceedings connected with the case of Abdul Khader Sabi of Magenahalli, Channapatna taluk, appealing against the Deputy Commissioner's order declining to cancel the sale of petitioner's lands for arrears of revenue.
123	933—1031	30	Abdul Khader Sabi, Magenahalli, Channapatna Tk.	Informing him of the above.
124	P. F. 24-99	30	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Forwarding, for early disposal, a petition from Nandagiriyappa of Seresandra, Chikballapur taluk, complaining of the non-disposal of his appeal *in re* the shanbhogi of Arur and other villages remanded by Government for fresh decision on merits.
125	1151	30	Nandagiriyappa, Seresandra, Chikballapur Tk.	Informing him of the above.
126	P. 935	30	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Forwarding, for disposal by endorsement, a petition from Deviga *alias* Hanumanta of Holeyarpalya, Mulbagal taluk, complaining of the non-disposal of his complaint regarding the treasure trove found in one Channaga's house.
127	1169	30	Deviga, Holeyarpalya, Mulbagal Tk.	Informing him of the above.
128	397	30	Miss L. H. Anstey, Kensington Road, Bangalore.	Declining to interfere with the Deputy Commissioner's order directing her to pay assessment for unauthorised cultivation at Chigrapuram village, Bowringpet taluk.
129	P. 936	30	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	Forwarding copy of the above, for information, with records.
130	P. 937	30	Do, Tumkur ...	Forwarding, for disposal by endorsement, a petition from Chikkanna of Tippanahalli, Maddagiri taluk, complaining against the conduct of the patel and shanbhog, who refused to grant permit for the removal of arecanut from his garden and thus subjected him to pay double duty.
131	P. 938	30	Do ...	Requesting submission of further report on some points on the petition of Narasimhaiya, shanbhog of Talekoppa and other villages in the Gubbi taluk.

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132	P. 939	30	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Observing that his arrangement *in re* the shanbhogi of Chinaga and Kodagolla, Tumkur taluk, is equitable and fair, and further requesting him to make arrangements for the maintenance of the widow and report at an early date.
133	498—2	30	Venkamma, widow of Seshagiraiya, shanbhog of Chinaga, Tumkur Tk.	Informing her of the above.
134	3—244	30	Davud Khan, Tumkur.	Passing orders on his appeal *in re* the relinquishment of a portion of S. No. 76 in the khate of the petitioner.
135	P. 940	30	Dy. Comr., Tumkur	Forwarding copy of the above, for information, with records.
136	1—1866	30	Hutcha, Heggade, Satnur, Mandya Tk.	Declining to interfere with the Deputy Commissioner's order cancelling the sale of a building site on account of some irregularities.
137	P. 941	30	Dy. Comr., Mysore..	Forwarding copy of the above, for information, with records.
138	P. 942	30	Do, Kadur ...	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Ramanna and others of Tarikere, complaining of the conduct of their Amildar.
139	P. 943	30	Dy.Comr.,Chitaldrug	Recording his report on the conduct of Mr. Krishnama Naidu, Amildar of Molakalmuru, with the observation that the remarks in favor of the Amildar should be copied and preserved in the file relating to him.
140	1503	31	B. Subbanna, Bangalore.	Informing him that the copy prayed for cannot be granted.
141	1223	31	Upadya Viranna, Chikkavaddaragudi, Yedatore.	Asking him to apply to the officer in whose gift the appointment prayed for lies.
142	1250	31	Sitharamaiya, late Police constable, No. 324, Dodballapur.	Asking petitioner to produce the order of the Inspector General of Police, referred to in his petition.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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1	412 / Ft.F.3-1900	5	Dy.Comr., Chitaldrug.	Forwarding post copy of a telegram, dated 4th instant, stating that the Residency say that Mr. Mullins has been instructed to settle with the Durbar's representative, place, date of meeting and other details *re* South Canara boundary and to warn Mr. Ramaswami Iyer, District Forest Officer, to communicate with Mr. Mullins and be ready to start, giving charge to the Deputy Commissioner or any Assistant.
2	413 / Ft.F.3-1900	5	Do ..	Forwarding, for information and guidance of Mr. Ramaswami Iyer, copies of correspondence *re* the Mysore-South Canara boundary, and stating that Mr. Ramaswami Iyer should be instructed to keep direct correspondence with the Madras Officer and be ready to join him after settling the date, &c.
3	414 / Ft.F. 3-1900	5	Consvr. of Forests..	Forwarding copy of the above with copies of enclosures.
4	415 / Ft. F. 39-95	7	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Requesting him to return the originals of Notifications of certain State Forests.
5	417 / Ft. F. 15-1900	7	Do ..	Notifying all the existing State Forests and Plantations in the *Mysore district* as State Forests under the Mysore Forest Regulation, No. XI of 1900.
6	418 / Ft. F. 15-1900	7	Do ...	Ditto *Hassan district* ditto.
7	419 / Ft.F. 15-1900	7	Do ...	Ditto *Kadur district* ditto.
8	420 / Ft. F. 15-1900	7	Do ...	Ditto *Shimoga district* ditto.
9	421 / Ft.F. 15-1900	7	Do ..	Ditto *Kolar district* ditto.
10	422 / Ft. F. 15-1900	7	Do ...	Ditto *Bangalore district* ditto.
11	423 / Ft. F. 15-1900	7	Do ...	Ditto *Tumkur district* ditto.
12	424 / Ft. F. 15-1900	7	Do ...	Ditto *Chitaldrug district* ditto.

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13	435 / Ft. F. 34-96	15	Dy. Comr. Mysore ...	Recording his letter reporting that the concession granted by Government to the raiyats of certain taluks of the district for free pasturing of their cattle in the Narayandrug, Kakankote and Berambadi State Forests, has been withdrawn.
14	439-43 / Ft. F. 26-96	17	Supt., Govt. Gardens & Museum, Hd.-qr Asst.Consvr.'s office Mr. Justice Best & Mr. A. Srinivassacharlu, B. B.	Sanctioning certain arrangements for the conduct of business and for the management of the next Winter Horticultural Show in the Lal-Bagh owing to Mr. Cameron's absence from Bangalore on deputation in Northern India.
15	444 / Ft. F. 15-95	18	Supt., Govt. Gardens.	Forwarding, for note and return, letter from the Superintendent, Botanical and Afforestation Department, Hongkong, acknowledging the receipt of the Annual Report on Government Botanical Gardens and Parks in Mysore for the year 1899-1900.
16	445 / Ft. F. 64-95	18	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the extension by one day of the four days' casual leave of absence granted to Mr. M. Venkatnarnappa, Assistant Conservator of Forests in Mysore, in Notification No. 315 —Ft. F. 64-95, dated the 14th November 1900.
17	446 / Ft. F. 64-95	18	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
18	447 / Ft. F. 64-95	18	Consvr. of Forests ..	
19	448 / Ft. F. 1-1900	18	Comptroller ..	Forwarding, duly countersigned, the detailed contingent bill of the Gordon Park, &c., in Mysore for the month of November 1900.
20	449 / Ft. F. 14-95	19	Supt., Govt. Gardens.	Approving of the list of names of ladies and gentlemen proposed to be appointed as judges at the Horticultural Show which will be held on the 7th February 1901.
21	450-1 / Ft. F. 165-95	19	Dy. Comr., Mysore, & Consvr. of Forests.	Granting the permission applied for on behalf of solegars Jadiya and Mada to shoot a solitary mad cow-elephant which is roaming about Malekadu in the Chamrajnagar taluk, and stating that the usual license may be issued by the Deputy Commissioner.
22	452 / Ft. F. 23-96	19	Secy., East India Association, Ld., London.	Forwarding post copy of telegram of the 19th instant, "Sandal" to Coxarum.
23	453 / Ft. F. 23-96	19	Do ...	Stating that the permission given to the Association to sell for export sandalwood now reserved under the Agreement is expressly con-

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				tingent upon all of the wood being paid for in full at the rate determined for each class and prior to the removal from the koties of any of the wood; and that the Government regret that the unsuitability of Mr. Krug's process of distillation and certain other matters now brought to notice were not more fully considered before the Agreement was signed; and that they are unable to accede to the request made for an extension by three months of the dates.
24	454 / Ft. F. 23-96	19	Sir Allan Arthur, Managing Dir., E. I. Assn., Ld., Calcutta.	Forwarding for information copy of the above and of copies of letters received from the Secretary, East India Association, Limited.
25	455 / Ft. F. 16-1900	19	Supt., Govt. Gardens.	Forwarding copy of letter No. 1045—197-98, dated 16th November 1900, from the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, suggesting, for reasons stated, the advisability of abandoning the present Lal-Bagh menagerie and aviary and of transferring the animals to Mysore; and requesting his opinion on this proposal.
26	456 / Ft. F. 19-95	19	Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug.	Forwarding post copy of telegram of the 18th instant requesting him to inform Forest Officer Mr. Ramaswami Iyer that Government cannot grant him leave now, and that he must proceed on boundary duty as soon as required.
27	458 / Ft. F. 15-1900	21	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication, rules for the grant of rewards to informers and others under the Mysore Forest Regulation, XI of 1900.
28	460 / Ft. F. 15-1900	21	Do ...	Forwarding, for publication, rules regulating the powers and duties of Forest and other Officers under the Mysore Forest Regulation, XI of 1900.
29	461 / Ft. F. 96-95	21	Consvr. of Forests..	Recording Conservator's letter No. 47—220, dated 5th July 1900, submitting three copies of a working plan of the Kamasandra State Forest in the Kolar district.
30	462 / Ft.F.120-95	21	Do ...	Sanctioning the free grant of wood and bamboos valued at Rs. 80 in favor of 20 individuals of Bettadahalli, Tarikere taluk, for reconstructing their houses which were destroyed by an accidental fire.
31	463 / Ft.F.8-1900	21	B. V. Srikantaiya, Mandya Tk.	Informing him that his petition was referred to the District Forest Officer, Hassan for disposal.
32	464	21	Consvr. of Forests ..	Forwarding, for disposal, petition from Voddar Durgaboyi, Tarikere, praying that he may be permitted to collect and remove to Tarikere timber for sleepers from Tyagadabagi, &c., jungles in the Kadur district.

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33	465 / Ft. F. 23-95	22	Secy., E. I. Assn., Ld. London.	Informing him that 507 and odd tons of sandalwood have been reserved for the Association and are now available at the koties specified; and requesting that early arrangements may be made for the payment, removal and storage of the wood under the terms of the Agreement.
34	466 / Ft. F. 23-96	22	Hon'ble Sir Allan Arthur, Managing Dir., E. I. Assn., Calcutta.	Forwarding copy of the above for information.
35	467 / Ft. F. 39-95	22	Dy. Comr., Kadur ..	Forwarding, for report, petition from Annegauda and others of Melana Huluvatti, Chikmagalur taluk, praying that the Muthode State Forest may not be extended; and inviting the Deputy Commissioner's attention to Proceedings No. 4248—Ft. 266, dated 1st November 1895, as regards the undue proximity of forests to villages.
36	468 / Ft.F. 63-95	22	Supt., Govt. Printing, Madras.	Requesting that two copies of the Madras Forest Manual may be sent to this office per Value Payable Post.
37	469 / Ft. F. 63-95	22	Secy. to Ch. Comr. of Coorg.	Requesting to be supplied with two copies of the Coorg Forest Manual.
38	471-2 / Ft.F.107-95	24	Consvr. of Forests, & Comptr.	Sanctioning an expenditure of Rs. 122, being the amount of rewards to officials and other persons who captured and brought to conviction six individuals belonging to three gangs of thieves who were smuggling sandalwood from the Berambadi State Forest in the Gundlepet range in the months of May and June 1900.
39	473-4 / Ft.F.141-95	24	Do ..	Sanctioning the refund of Rs. 15 to one Kallekayi Narasimhaiya of Chikballapur out of Rs. 62 paid by him for the custard-apple produce of the Chikballapur taluk, contracted for by him but which he was prevented from selling, owing to plague restrictions.
40	475 / Ft.F. 16-95	24	Supt., Govt. Gardens.	Stating that, for reasons explained, it is not at present possible to provide quarters for the Curator of the Lal-Bagh at Bangalore, and that his application on that behalf may, if necessary, be renewed a couple of years hence.
41	476 / Ft.F.165-95	29	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying, for the information of the public, that a mad female elephant is roaming about Malekadu in the Chamrajnagar taluk and that the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, is authorized to issue a license to any person who may be willing to shoot the animal.

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42	477 Ft. F. 62-95	29	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*...	Notifying the grant of five days' casual leave of absence to Mr. M. G. Rama Rão, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Tumkur district, with effect from the 22nd January 1901.
43	478 Ft. F. 62-95	29	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above.
44	479 Ft.F. 62-95	29	Consvr. of Forests ..	
45	481 Ft. F. 22-97	29	First. Asst. to Resdt.	Requesting him to inform the Chief Commissariat Officer, Bangalore district, that he should not expect the lease of the grass in certain plantations near Bangalore to the British Commissariat Department to be renewed for 1901-1902; and stating that the question of working the plantations so as not to cause loss to Government is under consideration, and that the terms on which grass-fodder in certain of the plantations can be leased for the ensuing year will be communicated to the Hon'ble the Resident before the 15th March next.
46	482 Ft.F. 22-97	29	Consvr. of Forests ...	With reference to correspondence relating to the claims of certain villagers to the lease of grass in the Gandragolipura, Old Jadigenahalli and Nelal plantations, requesting the Conservator to furnish information on certain points and as to how the lease to the Commissariat Department originated.
47	483 Ft.F.119-95	29	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying, as a temporary arrangement, the following postings of Forest Officers consequent on the retirement of Mr. Muthappa, Assistant Conservator of Forests, 1st Grade, and District Forest Officer, Mysore :— Mr. M. Venkatnarnappa, Assistant Conservator, to be District Forest Officer, Mysore; Mr. H. Srinivasa Rao, Sub-Assistant Conservator, to be in charge of the Heggaddevankote range.
48	484 Ft.F.119-95	29	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of the above with the intimation that Mr. Venkatnarnappa received charge of the District Forest office, Mysore, from Mr. Muthappa on the afternoon of the 31st December 1900; and that Mr. H. Srinivasa Rao received charge of the Heggaddevankote range from Mr. Venkatnarnappa on the forenoon of the 29th December 1900.
49	485 Ft.F.119-95	29	Consvr. of Forests ...	Forwarding copy of the Notification, for information.

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50	486-88 / Ft. F. 14-95	29	Supt., Govt. Gardens, Mr. Justice J. W. Best, I. C. S., and A. Srinivassacharlu, Esq., B. B., Muzrai Secy.	Directing that the Winter Horticultural Show in the Lal-Bagh, which was notified to be held on the 7th of February next, be postponed for the present.
51	489 / Ft. F. 63-95	29	Messrs. Higginbotham & Co., Madras.	Requesting the supply of nine sets of the IV and V volumes of the Manual of Forestry by Dr. Schlich, P. H. D.
52	Ft. 490	29	Consvr. of Forests ...	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Mahomed Ismail, Bangalore, applying for the vacant post of sandal koti daroga at Seringapatam.
53	491 / Ft. F. 1-1900	29	Comptroller ...	Forwarding, duly countersigned, the detailed contingent bills of the Lal-Bagh, Gordon Park., &c., for the month of December 1900.
54	492-3 / Ft. F. 70-95	29	Consvr. of Forests & Dy. Comr., Hassan.	Recording Conservator's letter No. 2362—207, dated 14th January 1901, reporting the circumstances in which the Guru of the Subrahmanyaswami Matt in South Canara arranged for a private and irregular sale of certain sandalwood belonging to the Inam village of Halasur in the Manjarabad taluk and the conditions in which, as a special case, the wood was permitted to be removed from the Sandal Koti.
55	494 / Ft. F. 47-95	30	Secy., P. W. D. ..	Forwarding, for favor of consideration and necessary action, a copy of notes and orders thereon by the Officiating Dewan on the subject of rules regulating the levy of rent on Government buildings.
56	496-7 / Ft. F. 17-1900	30	Consvr. of Forests, & Dy. Comr., Chitaldrug.	Stating that, pending consideration of the general question of rates, the petitioners (certain patels of the Holalkere taluk) may be informed that their request for permission to use *tare* or *kagli* twigs for fencing purposes without payment cannot be granted.
57	498 / Ft. F. 26-96	30	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copy of Proceedings No. 439-443—Ft. F. 26-96, dated 17th January 1901, with the remark that Mr. Hira Sing, Headquarter Assistant, Conservator's office, will countersign all bills, &c., connected with the Lal-Bagh, Museum and other institutions under Mr. Cameron.
58	Ft. 499	31	Secy., Gen. Dept. ...	Transferring letter No. 2458—318, dated 22nd January 1901, from the Conservator of Forests, submitting a gratuity application on behalf of one Parasana Ranga (deceased) late a forest watcher of the Lakvalli range, Kadur district.
59	500 / Ft. F. 23-96	31	Messrs. Petrie Hay & Son, Hunsur.	With reference to their petition protesting against the reservation of certain classes of sandalwood from the auction sales of this year

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				(1900), informing them that Government is free to dispose of its property as may seem best, either with a view to prevent purchasers combining to force down prices, or to hinder smuggling of wood or for any other reason; observing that Mr. Petrie Hay, whose name is connected with two out of the five signatory firms, actually secured some years ago a concession of the kind to which objection is now taken; and stating that the petitioners in the present case cannot have any *locus standi*.
60	501-2 / Ft.F.107-95	31	Dy. Comr. & Dt. Magte., Shimoga, & Consvr. of Forests.	Recording, with certain observations, a letter from the District Magistrate, Shimoga, submitting an order of the Chief Court on a reference concerning the illegality of the grant of a reward in a forest offence case and suggesting that a departmental rule be laid down prohibiting officials from accepting any reward without the sanction of their superior, not below the rank of a Deputy Commissioner.
61	503 / Ft.F.144-95	31	Abdul Khader Sab, tangadi bark contr., Goribidnur.	Informing him that his prayer for the refund of the full balance of the amount paid by him for collecting tangadi bark cannot be granted, as already stated in endorsement No. 1412—Ft. F. 144-95, dated 14th August 1900.
62	506 / Ft.F. 97-95	31	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Pending the promulgation of the rules relating to District Forests under the Mysore Forest Regulation of 1900, notifying the levy of certain rates upon firewood or charcoal felled or burned in District Forests of the Shimoga district.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

J. L. PIGOT,
Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

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MILITARY

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	1315/69	2	Comptroller ...	Authorising an advance of Rs. 17,000 being placed at the disposal of the Military Assistant for expenses connected with His Excellency the Viceroy's visit to this Province.
2	1325-6/70	4	Do, & Chief Comdt.	Sanctioning a bill amounting to Rs. 544-12-0, being the value of 95 swords and 93 lances purchased from the retired Sowars of the Mysore State Cavalry.
3	1334-5/71	5	Do, & do ...	Sanctioning a travelling allowance bill amounting to Rs. 32-5-0 submitted by the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops, on behalf of Mr. J. E. Welsh, Band Master, Barr Infantry, for the month of March 1900.
4	1338-9/72	5	Do, & do ..	Sanctioning a bill amounting to Rs. 4,389-3-3 from the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops, being the amount of expenditure incurred in connection with the feed and keep of transport ponies during the month of October 1900.
5	1348/73	7	Do, & do ...	Sanctioning the dismissal of Sowar No. 385 Budden Khan of the D. Squadron of the Imperial Service Regiment, as he was convicted of theft and awarded corporal punishment by the District Magistrate, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.
6	1352-3—74	9	Do, & do ..	Sanctioning an advance of Rs. 2,000 to meet charges connected with the cutting and stocking of kaval grass to be adjusted by short drawal in the Regimental pay bills.
7	1374—75	11	Comptroller ...	Sanctioning a bill amounting to Rs. 1,500, being the price of a thoroughbred imported English mare purchased for the Kunigal Stud Farm.
8	1383-5—76	15	Do, Ch. Comdt., & Gen. & Rev. Secy.	Sanctioning a revised scale of pensions for the peishcars and writers attached to the Mysore Cavalry Regiments.
9	1388-9—77	15	Do, & Chief Comdt..	Directing that the Veterinarian and Assistant Veterinarian of the Imperial Service Regiment be graded as commissioned officers according to pay.

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10	1391-2—78	15	Compt., & Ch. Comdt.	Sanctioning a bill amounting to Rs. 4,461-8-4, being the amount of expenditure incurred in connection with the feed and keep of transport ponies during the month of November 1900.
11	1403—79	16	Comptroller ...	Ditto to Rs. 2,349-4-0, being the price of a billiard table, &c., purchased for the Government House at Mysore.
12	1405—80	16	Do, & Ch. Comdt. ..	Sanctioning two travelling allowance bills amounting to Rs. 397-13-3, submitted by the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops, on behalf of certain Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, &c., of the Imperial Service Regiment, ordered to attend the Rifle Meeting held at Meerut in February 1900.
13	1449-50/81	22	Comptr., & Supt., Amrut Mahal Dept.	Sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 36 for the purchase of stationery, &c., required for the Amrut Mahal Department, to be met from savings in the Amrut Mahal budget for the current official year.
14	1475-6/82	29	Comptr. & Ch.Comdt	Sanctioning the sinking of two wells in the Local Service Regiment health camp at Mysore at a cost of Rs. 100 to be met from savings in the Military budget for the current official year.
15	1479-80/83	29	Do & do ..	Sanctioning a travelling allowance bill amounting to Rs. 7, on behalf of a Lance Naik and certain sepoys of the 1st Battalion, Mysore Infantry, deputed to escort treasure from Mysore to Coorg in the month of October 1900.
16	1482-3/84	29	Do & do ...	Ditto to Rs. 69-7-0, on behalf of the Chief Commandant's office establishment for the month of December 1900.
17	1486/85	29	Comptroller ..	Sanctioning a bill amounting to Rs. 450, being the price of a bullock coach purchased from Mr. McHutchin for the Government stables to be met from savings in the Government House budget for the current official year.
18	1497-8/86	31	Do & Ch. Comdt. ..	Sanctioning a further advance of Rs. 4,000 for the manufacture of Transport carts.

MILITARY ASSISTANT'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

R. G. JONES, MAJOR,
Military Assistant.

MUZRAI

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
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1	692	3	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from one Mudligauda of Manavalli, in the Kunigal taluk, complaining that the archak of the Tirumaladevaru temple in his village is not attending to his duties properly.
2	693	3	Do, Hassan ...	Ditto from Thammanna, Police dafadar of Bagur in the Channarayapatna taluk, praying for permission to re-built an old temple at Mallenahalli at his own cost.
3	695	8	Officer in charge of the State Huzur Treasury.	Stating that A. Mrityunjaya Iyer, Manager of this office, and H. Murti Rao, Accountant of the Comptroller's office, have been deputed to examine the accounts relating to the funds of the chattrams at Tirupati and Benares, now held in deposit in the State Huzur Treasury, and requesting that these officials may be allowed to examine the Deposit Registers maintained in the Huzur Treasury, in view to verify the balances in favor of the aforesaid two Muzrai institutions.
4	696	8	Dy. Comr., Kadur ..	Calling for Treasury Officer's certificate showing the amounts of savings available at the credit of Hariharpur, Bisagni and Singangadde Matts now under the direct management of the Muzrai Department.
5	697	8	Do, Chitaldrug ...	Stating that orders regarding the adjustment of the advances drawn by the Deputy Commissioner towards the cost of repairs executed to the Sri Channakesavaswami temple at Bagur, Hosdurga sub-taluk, will be issued on receipt of the information called for in this office docket No. 611, dated 3rd December 1900.
6	698	8	Do, Mysore ...	Enquiring if the balance of Rs. 3,558-15-10 due up to the end of June 1899, from the inam villages of Purigal and Kaglipur, endowed to the temples at Sivasamudram, have since been collected, and requesting to be

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				furnished with a demand, collection and balance statement of these villages for 1899-1900.
7	699	8	Secy., Gen. and Rev. Depts.	Stating that, for reasons explained, the provision now made in the current year's budget for the contingent charges of this office may be allowed to stand.
8	700	8	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Requesting the Deputy Commissioner's opinion on the several proposals contained in the Report of the General Assistant Commissioner of his district, regarding the better management of the affairs of the Kyamanahalli Sri Anjaneyaswami temple at Holavanahalli, in the Koratagere sub-taluk.
9	701	8	Do, Shimoga ..	Forwarding a statement received from the Comptroller showing the unadjusted Muzrai advances outstanding in the accounts of the Shimoga district; and requesting to submit measurement or completion bills for the early adjustment of these advances.
10	702-3	8	Do, Mysore, & Comp.	Countersigning and forwarding a completion bill for Rs. 10 towards the cost of repairs executed to the Subdari Masjid at Seringapatam.
11	704	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, a Notification appointing certain persons as Dharmadarsis for the Muzrai annachattram at Varuna, Mysore taluk.
12	705	8	Dy. Comr., Mysore.	Forwarding copy of the above, for information.
13	706	8	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, a Notification appointing one Ramaswamaiya as Dharmadarsi of the Anjaneyaswami temple at Garagadakuppe, Tumkur taluk.
14	707	8	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Forwarding copy of the above, for information.
15	708-9 / M. F. 13-92	8	Do, Bangalore, and Comptr.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 14-7-0, being the arrears of allowance due to one Ramasastri a Muzrai stipendiary of the Bangalore taluk.
16	710-11 / M.F. 150-92	8	Do, Mysore, & do....	Countersigning and forwarding a bill for Rs. 140, being the cost of two teakwood almirahs purchased for the use of Sri Narayanaswami temple at Melkote.
17	712-3	8	Do, & do ..	Recording a statement of Muzrai estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner during the month of October 1900.
18	714-5	8	Do, & do ...	Ditto during November 1900.
19	716-7 / M.F. 108-93	8	Do, & do ...	Countersigning and forwarding a completion bill for Rs. 60, being the actual cost of forming a sloping descent to the Ramasamudra channel at Chunchinkatte, Yedatore taluk, for the benefit of pilgrims resorting to the Sri Ramadevaru temple.

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20	721	9	Comptroller ..	Sanctioning the continuance, till the end of March 1901, of the special temporary establishment sanctioned in Proceedings No. 1134, dated 13th April 1899, for the examination of the Muzrai accounts maintained in the several taluk and the District offices.
21	722 / M. F. 2-92	9	Dy. Comr., Hassan.	Declining to sanction the temporary entertainment of the clerk proposed by the Deputy Commissioner for the Muzrai work of his office until the exact amount of the District Muzrai Surplus Funds, from which the pay of such clerk has to be met, is ascertained by the verification of the District Muzrai accounts.
22	723-4	9	Do, Kolar, & Comptr.	Recording a statement of Muzrai estimates, sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, during the month of November 1900.
23	725-6	9	Do, Tumkur, & do...	Sanctioning and forwarding a bill for Rs. 14-10-0, being the arrears of Muzrai ready money allowance payable to the Khaji at Sira.
24	727-8 / M. F. 51-93	9	Comptr., and Palace Controller.	Sanctioning a bill for Rs. 163-10-5 on account of the excess expenditure, incurred in the Maharaja's chattram in Mysore City, during the month of December 1900, the charge being met from the savings available at the credit of the institution.
25	729-31	9	Dy. Comr., Mysore, Compt., & Inam Supt.	Sanctioning the Deputy Commissioner's recommendation to register a hereditary Muzrai allowance of Rs. 7-4-0 a year in the name of Subbamma, the only surviving legal heir of Subba Pandit, a deceased Muzrai stipendiary of the T.-Narsipur taluk.
26	732	10	Comptroller ...	Countersigning and forwarding a bill for Rs. 230-12-2, on account of the repairs executed to the Sri Ganesa temple at Nelamangala.
27	735	10	Dy. Comr., Mysore .	Forwarding, for disposal, a petition from Gulam Mahomed Saib of Ganjam applying for a vacant post in the Gumbuz at Seringapatam.
28	737-8	11	Do, Kadur, & Compt.	Recording a statement of Muzrai estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner during the month of December 1900.
29	739	11	Do, Kolar ...	Calling for the original title-deed under which the Muzrai allowance of Re. 0-8 0 a year was being paid to one Devanhalli Krishnachar, a deceased Muzrai stipendiary of the Goribidnur taluk.
30	742 / M. F. 9-94	11	Do, Tumkur ..	Stating that as nearly the whole of the State grant for the current year has been already allotted for the repairs of other Muzrai institutions, his application for a grant from Muzrai funds towards the repairs of the Sri

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				Ramadevaru temple at Holavanahalli, Koratagere sub-taluk, may be renewed at the beginning of the next official year.
31	743 / M.F.10-95	11	Dy. Comr., Hassan..	Requesting him to expedite the submission of the report promised by him *in re* the attachment by the Sub-Court at Mysore of the income of the inam villages belonging to the Sri Uttaradi Matt in his district.
32	744	11	Do, Tumkur ...	Declining to accept the offer of one Hosahalli Subbaiya of Turuvekere to make certain endowments of his lands to the Sri Byataraya-swami temple at Turuvekere as the same was burdened with many conditions.
33	745-6 / M.F.108-93	11	Do, Mysore, & Comptr.	Countersigning and forwarding a completion bill for Rs. 275, being the actual cost incurred for constructing a bathing ghat near the Sri Ramadevaru temple at Chunchinkatte, Yedatore taluk.
34	747-8 / M.F.119-92	11	Do, & do ..	Ditto for Rs. 100, on account of the repairs executed to the Muzrai annachattram at Krishnarajpete.
35	749-50	11	Do, & do ...	Ditto for Rs. 78-6-8, on account of the repairs executed to the Muzrai annachattram at Bendravadi in the Chamrajnagar taluk.
36	751-2	11	Do, Tumkur, & do..	Sanctioning and forwarding a bill for Rs. 11-10-0, being the arrears of the ready money allowances payable to certain Muzrai institutions in the Gubbi taluk.
37	753	11	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, a Notification appointing certain persons as Dharmadarsees to supervise the affairs of the Sri Anjaneyaswami temple at Kyamenahalli, Koratagere sub-taluk.
38	754	11	Dy. Comr., Tumkur.	Forwarding copy of the above.
39	755	11	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in the *Gazette*, a Notification appointing certain persons as Dharmadarsees to supervise the affairs of the Muzrai annachattram at Bherya in the Yedatore taluk.
40	756	11	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Forwarding copy of the above.
41	757-8 / M.F.61-95	11	Do, Chitaldrug and Comptr.	Countersigning and forwarding two measurement bills on account of the repairs executed to the Sri Ranganathaswami temple and the chattram at Komaranahalli, Harihar sub-taluk.
42	760 / M.F. 33-93	12	Mr. A. Gopalacharlu, Srinivasa Mandiram and Charities, Bangalore.	Stating that he should, in the first instance, apply to the local Muzrai officers in the matter of the claim of the archak of the Mandiram for first Thirtha, before petitioning the Government on the subject.

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43	762	15	Dy. Comr., Mysore...	Requesting the early submission of the estimates for the repairs urgently needed to the Sri Honnadevi and Virabhadraswami temples at Sosale in the T.-Narsipur taluk.
44	763 M. F. 165-92	15	Do ...	Stating that no additional sepoy guards could be sanctioned for the temple at Nanjangud, as it has no funds at its credit to meet this extra cost.
45	765	15	Do, Kolar ...	Enquiring in what Muzrai temples one Ramachar, an archak, referred to in his communication, is still performing puja; and also requesting to report whether the said Ramachar is prepared to furnish adequate security for the properties belonging to those temples.
46	766	15	Do ...	Enquiring what additional establishment would be required for the Muzrai annachattram at Mulbagal in case the system of supplying cooked food to travellers is revived therein as recommended by the Deputy Commissioner.
47	767 M. F. 88-92	15	Do, Bangalore ...	Requesting the early submission of an estimate for the construction of a Mahadwara for the Ghate Sri Subrahmanyaswami temple in Dodballapur taluk.
48	768-9	15	Do. & Comptr. ...	Recording a statement of Muzrai estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner during the month of December 1900.
49	770	15	Do, Tumkur ...	Stating that a suitable contribution from Muzrai funds will be sanctioned for the repairs of the Sri Lakshmikanthaswami and the Sri Gangadhareswaraswami temples at Tumkur, on receipt of a report from the Deputy Commissioner as to whether all the repairs provided for in the estimates submitted by the Deputy Commissioner have now been actually executed by the devotees and if so, at what cost.
50	775 M. F. 67-92	15	Comptroller ...	Requesting to report the exact amount of savings available at the credit of the Sri Chamarajeswaraswami temple at Chamrajnagar.
51	776 M. F. 30-93	15	Chief Engineer ...	Stating that the question of sanctioning the revised project for the restoration of the Inam Ummathur tank belonging to the Sri Chamarajeswaraswami temple at Chamrajnagar, will be disposed of, on receipt of information from the Comptroller as to the exact amount of savings available at the credit of the temple.

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52	777 / M.F. 89-92	15	Comptroller ..	Countersigning and forwarding a bill for Rs. 187-4-3, towards the cost of the repairs executed to the Sri Champakadhamaswami temple at Bannerghatta in the Anekal taluk, the charge being met from the State grant of Rs. 15,000 provided in the Muzrai budget for the current official year.
53	778 / M. F 31-95	15	Dy.Comr., Chitaldrug.	Requesting the submission of a bill in due form for the adjustment of an advance of Rs. 300, reported to have been drawn and paid by him on account of the materials collected for the re-construction of the Mahadwara of the Sri Ranganathaswami temple at Komaranahalli, Harihar sub-taluk.
54	780 / M. F. 9-92	17	Secy. Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Stating, in reply to a reference received from him, that the question relating to the stipend orders of Mohadin Bi and Mohadin Khan may be disposed of in the General Department, as questions relating to the Sarjapur Jahgir allowances are now being dealt with in that Department.
55	781 / M. F. 31-95	17	Comptroller ...	With reference to his letter requesting the transmission of bills for the adjustment of certain advances drawn by the Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldrug towards the repairs of Sri Ranganathaswami temple and the chattram at Komaranahalli, Harihar sub-taluk, stating that measurement bills for the works in question have been already forwarded to him under Proceedings No. 757-8, dated 10th January 1901.
56	783 / M.F. 150-92	17	Do ..	Sanctioning and forwarding for audit two bills amounting to Rs. 703-13-8, on account of repairs executed to the Sri Narasimhaswami temple and the Bhuvaneswari mantap at Melkote, Seringapatam taluk, the charge being debited to the State grant of the current year.
57	784	17	Dy. Comr.,Bangalore.	Intimating that the charges incurred for the repairs of Sri Ganesa temple at Nelamangala and the Sri Champakadhamaswami temple at Bannerghatta in the Anekal taluk, referred to in his letter, have already been adjusted on bills forwarded to the Comptroller from this office.
58	787	17	Do, Mysore .	Stating that no portion of the District Muzrai surplus funds could be allotted for the repairs of the chattram at Nagamangala, and

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59	788-9 / M. F. 1-92	17	Dy. Comr., Kadur, & Compt.	Sanctioning the Muzrai contingent bills of the Kadur District office for the months of October and November 1900.
60	790 / M. F. 36-96	17	Do, Bangalore ..	Enquiring whether at the time of the removal from the compound of the City Railway Station of an Anjaneya temple, any compensation was paid for its re-construction and if so, how much and how the money is now held.
61	791 / M. F. 26-97	17	Do ..	Requesting to be furnished with a statement showing the present number of nchimidars receiving rice or cash allowances from the Closepet chattram.
62	792-3 / M. F. 49-93	17	Dy. Comr., Hassan, & Comptr.	Countersigning and forwarding a measurement list for Rs. 532-1-10 on account of the repairs executed to the Muzrai annachattram at Ramnathpur, Arkalgud taluk.
63	794-5 / M. F. 52-95	17	Do, Mysore, & do..	Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 300 for repairing the car of the Sri Gunjanarasimhaswami temple at T. Narsipur.
64	796-7	17	Do, Tumkur, & do...	Sanctioning a revised estimate amounting to Rs. 1,045 for repairing the Kanve Sri Narasimhaswami temple at Pavagada, the charge being met partly from contribution paid by the devotees and partly from the State grants sanctioned for the current year.
65	798	17	Do, Tumkur ..	Requesting the Deputy Commissioner's opinion as to whether the establishment and other charges in the Sri Venkatramanaswami and the Sri Mallikarjunaswami temples at Maddagiri may be revised in the manner pointed out in the two statements forwarded to him.
66	799 / M. F. 15-95	18	Comptroller ..	Sanctioning and forwarding a bill for Rs. 250, on account of the repairs executed to the Vahana Mantap of the Sri Ranganathaswami temple at Seringapatam, the charge being debited to the State grant of the current year.
67	811-2 / M. F. 86-92	22	Do, & Dy. Comr., Kadur.	Ditto for Rs. 15-2-0, being the arrears of Malnad cash allowance payable to the archak of the Dubaladajettigadevaru at Herur, Koppa taluk.
68	813	22	Dy. Comr., Kolar ..	Forwarding a renewed stipend order in the name of Shek Hyder, Khaji of Addagal in the Srinivaspur taluk.

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69	815	25	Dy. Comr., Shimoga.	Calling for an estimate for the repairs urgently needed to the Sri Gopalakrishnaswami temple at Agumbi, Tirthahalli taluk; and also requesting him to report the names of a few respectable residents of the place for appointment as Dharmadarsis of the institution.
70	816 / M.F. 49-92	25	Comptroller ...	Forwarding the detailed contingent bill of the Muzrai Secretary's office for the month of December 1900.
71	817 / M. F. 98-93	28	Dy. Comr., Mysore.	Enquiring into whose possession and enjoyment the Kunnir katte land, attached as inam to the temples at Bannur and Somanathpur in the T.-Narsipur taluk, has passed since the death of the late lessee Bettaiya, and whether the gutta due on the lands for the years *Vikari* and *Sarvari* has been paid up and if so, by whom and how the money is now held.
72	818 / M. F.25-92	28	Presdt., Managing Committee of H. H. the Maharaja's Sanskrit College, Mysore.	Stating that scholarships for the period during which the Sanskrit College was closed owing to the prevalence of the plague in Mysore City may be paid only to those students who attended the College both on the day it was closed and on the day it was re-opened, and that the Vidwat examinations need not be held this month as there was only a very small number of candidates prepared to attend the examinations.
73	819 / M. F. 10-95	28	Dy. Comr., Hassan..	Stating that the monthly expenditure in the Sri Uttaradi Matt at Hole-Narsipur should not exceed the sanctioned scale.
74	820-1	28	Do, Bangalore, and Comptr.	Recording a statement of Muzrai estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner during the month of December 1900.
75	822-3 / M. F. 19-96	28	Do, Mysore, & do	Countersigning and forwarding for adjustment a completion bill for Rs. 155-8-0, being the actual cost of opening a sky-light in the Sri Lakshmivaradarajaswami temple at Heggaddevankote.
76	824-5 / M.F. 26-98	28	Do, & do ..	Ditto a completion bill for Rs. 565-14-0, on account of the repairs executed to the old Taluk Cutcherry building at Talkad, where the Utsava Vigraha of the Sri Kirthinarayanaswami temple is located and worshipped.
77	826 / M. F. 45-92	28	Comptroller ...	Ditto a measurement bill for Rs. 56-4-9, on account of the repairs executed to the Jumma Masjid at Mysore, the charge being met from the State grant of the current year.
78	827	28	Do ..	Ditto a completion bill for Rs. 103-9-1, on account of the repairs executed to the Sri Mahabaleswaraswami temple on the Chamundi Hill, the charge being debited to the current year's State grant.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

A. SREENIVASSACHARLU,
Muzrai Secretary.

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PUBLIC WORKS

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	2—8	3	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Returning the plan showing pipe connection for the water-supply of the Railway staff quarters at the Bangalore City Station.
2	3—24	4	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Returning the project for re-building the breached portion of the Changravalli anikat in Hassan taluk, duly sanctioned by Government for Rs. 15,155.
3	4—27	4	Gen. Secretary ..	Transmitting, for disposal, Public Works Examiner's No. 18 of the 3rd instant, reporting that no changes have taken place in the services of Sub-Conductor Mr. J. Hunter, during December 1900.
4	7—37	5	Do ...	Forwarding the annual return of Europeans and Eurasians employed in the Mysore Public Works Department on the 1st January 1901.
5	7 A—38	5	Do ...	Transmitting, for disposal, Mysore Public Works Examiner's No. 28, dated 3rd instant, submitting a statement of incidents in the services of Imperial Public Works Officers in the General Branch lent to the Mysore State, for December 1900.
6	8-10 / 48-50	7	Dy. Comrs., Bangalore, Kolar & Mysore.	Notifying that the Mysore Public Works Department will shortly undertake the erection of the Cauvery Transmission Line from Sivasamudram to the Kolar Gold Fields, and requesting the Deputy Commissioners to warn the villagers against approaching or touching or climbing the poles.
7	12—78	8	Resdt. Engr., C. P. S. Dn.	Returning estimates for: (1), Generating and (2) Transformer Houses at the Power Station, in connection with the Cauvery Power Scheme, duly approved for Rs. 99,758 and Rs. 35,613, respectively.

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8	14—88	9	Resdt. Engr., Cauvery Power Scheme Dn.	Returning the estimate for buildings required on the Transmission Line, provisionally sanctioned (pending formal approval of Government) for Rs. 67,757.
9	15—121	11	First Asst. to Resdt.	Forwarding lists of references of the Public Works and Railway Sections addressed to the Residency, but remaining unanswered on the 31st December 1900.
10	16—129	11	Do ...	Stating that arrangements are now being made for the erection of a telephone line between Sivasamudram and the Kolar Gold Fields, in connection with the Cauvery Power Transmission Scheme.
11	17—139	11	Examr., P. W. Accts.	Returning with orders, statement of objectionable items in accounts under "Sanitary Branch" unremedied to the end of October 1900.
12	18—141	11	First Asst. to Resdt.	With reference to his No. 5382—121-96, dated 18th October 1900, regarding the land required for the restoration of the Bugadu tank in Pavagada taluk, forwarding printed copy of Government Proceedings No. 4659-62—R. 1557, dated 14th December 1900 conveying sanction to the payment to the Madras Government of the capitalized value of the loss of assessment on lands acquired in connection with the restoration of the above tank.
13	19—145	11	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Conveying sanction to the halts of more than 10 days made on duty at Mysore by Sub Assistant Engineers Messrs. T. G. Lakshmar Rao and B. C. Srinivasaiengar, during June 1900.
14	20—147	11	Exmr., P. W. Accts.	Returning with orders, statement of objectionable items in accounts under "General Branch," unremedied to the end of September 1900.
15	21—150	12	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave of absence for one month to Sub-Assistant Engineer Mr. K. R. Seshachar, attached to the Marikanave Division, with effect from date of departure.
16	22—151	12	Suptg. Engr., Marikanave Works.	Communicating the above.
17	23—152	12	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	According sanction to the "Reserve stock" limit for Mysore Division being increased from Rs. 22,500 to Rs. 24,000.
18	24—158	12	Do W. C.	Conveying sanction to the *bona fide* charge of Rs. 10-12-0 being passed to Mr. K. Krishnaiengar, Assistant Engineer, for carriage of his horse from Bangalore to Mysore, on his transfer to the latter place.

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19	25—163	12	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave of absence for three months to Sub-Assistant Engineer Mr. B. Garudacharya, attached to the Mysore Palace Division, with effect from 18th December 1900.
20	26—164	12	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Communicating the above.
21	28—169	12	Senior Surgeon ..	With reference to his No. 2744 of 20th December 1900, regarding Hospital Assistant Ramasawmi Pille's bill for Rs. 10-11-9, being *bona fide* charges incurred by him, on account of his transfer from Bangalore to Sivasamudram, in connection with the Cauvery Power Works, stating that the Examiner has been authorized to pass the charges claimed.
22	29—170	12	Resdt. Engr., C. P. S. Dn.	Communicating the above.
23	30—181	12	Suptg. Engr., Sany. Circle.	Conveying sanction to a charge allowance of Rs. 100 per mensem, being passed to Mr. D. Runga Rao, Executive Engineer of the Bangalore Special Improvements Division, for the period he was in charge of the current duties of the Sanitary Superintending Engineer's office, *i. e.*, from 10th September to 10th December 1900.
24	31—201	15	Do, W. E.	Conveying sanction to the *bona fide* charges incurred by Mr. B. P. Raghavalu Naidu, Executive Engineer, in getting his things from Marikanave, on his permanent transfer to the Mysore Palace Division during May 1900.
25	32—231	16	Exec. Engr., Bangalore Dn.	Stating that the sums of Rs. 337-10-0 and Rs. 175-2-0, ordered to be remitted to Messrs. Barton, Son & Co., and Messrs. Higginbotham & Co., respectively, in connection with the Cauvery Falls Power Scheme, may be transferred to that Division for adjustment, by debit to "Preliminary expenses" of the sanctioned project.
26	33—232	16	Resdt. Engr., C. P. S. Dn.	Communicating the above.
27	35—255	17	Exec. Engr., H. W. S. Dn.	Conveying sanction to the purchase of Form Book, Part I, instead of Volume III of the Public Works Code, the purchase of which was authorized in October last.
28	36—256	17	Suptg. Engr., Sany. C.	Conveying sanction to an expenditure of Rs. 6 incurred on account of the purchase of three pairs of boots, to be issued to peons of the Special Improvements Division, Bangalore, owing to the prevalence of plague.
29	37—265	18	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave of absence for ten days, to Sub-Assistant Engineer Mr. T. Lakshman Rao, attached to the Mysore Division, with effect from the 13th November 1900.

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30	38—266	18	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Communicating the preceding.
31	41—293	19	Resdt. Engr., C. P. S. Dn.	Conveying sanction to the purchase of three and two reams of draft and French foolscap paper, respectively, for the Cauvery Power Scheme Division office, debiting cost to "Office contingencies," the Superintendent of Stationery Depot having reported that the above articles are not available from his stock.
32	42—294	19	Gen. Secretary ...	Communicating the above.
33	43—303	21	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Conveying sanction to Mr. Raghavalu Naidu, Executive Engineer, Mysore Palace Division, being allowed to visit Canjeevaram, Kalastri and Chidambarm, to select efficient chisellers, to carve figures for the Palace Work at Mysore.
34	44—312	21	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Notifying the grant of privilege leave of absence for three months, to Assistant Engineer Mr. V. Aiyasami Iyer, attached to the Kadur Division, with effect from 1st February next or date of departure.
35	45—313	21	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Communicating the above.
36	47—326	21	Do, Sany. C., thro' Examr., P. W. Accts.	Conveying sanction to the fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem being passed to Overseer G. R. Narasimmaiengar, who was posted to Kolar Gold Fields New Town work.
37	48—359	22	Gen. Secretary ..	Forwarding, for circulation among Councillors, Examiner's No. 195, dated 12th January 1901, submitting a printed copy of the Financial Accounts of the Sanitary Department, for 1899-1900.
38	49—365	22	Examr., P. W. Accts.	Conveying sanction to A. Narasimha Murti and A. Tholasinga Mudliar, temporary Accountants on Rs. 60, being confirmed in their present grade.
39	50—383	23	Suptg. Engr., E. C., thro' Exmr., P.W.A.	Conveying sanction to the refund of excess amount paid by the Postal Superintendent, for occupying Dobbs' Bungalow at Tumkur.
40	52—387	24	Resdt. Engr., C. P. S. Dn.	Returning the estimate for constructing duct for low tension cables from Generating Station to Transformer House, duly sanctioned for Rs. 12,405.
41	53—390	28	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Forwarding the annual confidential report on Captain A. Joly de Lotbiniere, Royal Engineer, Deputy Chief Engineer and Under-Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department, with a request to have the same transmitted to the Adjutant General in India.
42	54—393	28	Dy. Comr., Bangalore.	Conveying sanction to the halt of more than ten days made on duty at Hoskote by the Sub-Overseer attached to the Bangalore district, during July and August last.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
43	55—396	28	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Conveying sanction to the fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 40 and Rs. 35 per mensem, being passed to Assistant Engineer Mr. Srinivasaiengar and Sub-Assistant Engineer Mr. B. Garudacharya, respectively, and to the journey made by peon Peer Sahib to Bangalore and back.
44	56—408	28	Do ..	Returning the estimate for tools and plant purchased for constructing the Marriage Pavilion at Mysore, duly sanctioned for Rs. 562.
45	57—446	31	First Asst. to Resdt.	Submitting a statement of graves newly brought to notice during the calendar year 1900, and alterations of names found necessary, &c., in the previous returns.
46	58—454	31	Examr., P. W. Accts.	Conveying sanction to the grant of 15 days' privilege leave to Assistant Engineer Mr. Bhore, with effect from the 1st proximo or date of departure.
47	59—456	31	Suptg. Engr., Sany. Cir., thro' Examr., P. W. Accts.	Conveying sanction to the purchase of 12 reams of draft and foolscap papers for the use of the Bangalore Special Improvements Division office.
48	60—458	31	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Cancelling the three months' privilege leave of absence granted to Mr. Popatbhai Dungarshi, Assistant Engineer, in this office No. 1024—5893, dated 5th December 1900.
49	61—459	31	Suptg. Engr., W. C.	Communicating the above.
50	62—460	31	Do, E. C.	Conveying sanction to two reams of draft foolscap and ten of French foolscap being purchased locally, for the use of the Tumkur Division Executive Engineer's office, as the Stationery Depot is unable to supply the above articles.
51	63—461	31	Gen. Secy. to Govt	Communicating the above.
52	64—462	31	Suptg. Engr., E. C., thro' Examr., P. W. Accts.	Conveying sanction to the grant of ten days' casual leave to Sub-Assistant Engineer Mr. T. S. Raghavachar, attached to the Tumkur Division.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, P. W. D.,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, COL
Secy. to Govt., P. W. D.

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RAILWAYS

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	1	3	First Asst. to Resdt.	In the matter of constructing Police quarters on the Birur-Shimoga Railway, requesting him to obtain for the Durbar a copy of letter No. 7112 of 5th September last, from the Agent, Southern Mahratta Railway Company, to the Consulting Engineer for Railways at Bombay, on the subject.
2	2	3	Do ..	In the matter of the registration of vital statistics within railway limits outside Municipal towns, requesting him to move the Agent, Southern Mahratta Railway Company, to instruct the Station Masters concerned to obtain the necessary forms from this office instead of from the office of the Dewan of Mysore, as required in para IV of the Agent's Circular on the subject.
3	3 to 6	3	Dy. Comrs., Bangalore, Mysore, Kadur & Shimoga.	Forwarding, for information, a copy of the Circular referred to in the above letter.
4	7	3	Secy., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Forwarding, for information, a copy of letter No. 6728—214-1900, dated the 21st ultimo, received from the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, together with copies of its enclosures regarding the alleged unauthorised excavation of pits in and removal of ballast from certain Government waste lands in the Mysore State by a contractor of the Southern Mahratta Railway Company.
5	8	5	First Asst. to Resdt.	Requesting him to obtain for the Durbar the further views of the Board of Directors of the Southern Mahratta Railway Company, in the matter of refunding the pensionary contributions paid by the pensionable employees of the Durbar serving under the said Company.
6	10	8	Secy., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	With reference to Government Proceedings, No. 290-530 – F. L. 242, dated the 18th September last, enquiring as to whether the average contingent expenditure of the last three years may not be entered in the current year's budget, referring him to the Chief Engineer's letter No. 6107 of 17th ultimo to his address on the subject.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
7	16	10	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Requesting an early reply to this office letter No. 910, dated the 25th October last, regarding the grant of land situated within the radius of half a mile from the Tarikere Railway Station.
8	17	10	Do ..	Ditto No. 865, dated the 4th October last, regarding certain additions to the building at the Bangalore City Station for the accommodation of the Railway Police Inspector.
9	19	10	Virasami Mudaliar, late clerk, Dt. Engr.'s office.	Forwarding, for information, a copy of the Proceedings of the Government of Mysore No. 8696-97—P. & A. 860, dated the 7th instant, sanctioning him a pension of Rs. 17-6-9, with effect from the 27th April 1900.
10	21	11	Agent, S. M. R., thro' Resdy.	Requesting him to permit Mr. P. Pallonjee, Government Mail contractor at Maddur, to erect in the north-east corner of the Railway Station compound at that place a temporary shed for the accommodation of ponies employed for the Tonga Service between Maddur and Sivasamudram Falls.
11	23	12	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Conveying the approval of the Durbar to the estimate amounting to Rs. 85,671, for widening the cuttings between Gubbi and Mysore on the Mysore State Railway.
12	24	12	Do .	Intimating that the Durbar are not able to lend to the Southern Mahratta Railway Company the services of a competent Surveyor for the preparation of land plans and schedules of the Gubbi-Mysore Section of the Mysore State Railway.
13	25	12	Do ...	Forwarding a copy of letter No. 1040, dated the 4th instant, received from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore district, regarding a proposal to allow the mail train that leaves Bangalore City at 4 P. M. towards Harihar to stop at Gollahalli for a few minutes for the convenience of persons going to Nelamangala, Magadi, etc., and of postal communications; and requesting him to transmit the same to the Agent, Southern Mahratta Railway Company, for taking needful steps in the matter.
14	26	12	Dy. Comr., Kolar ...	In the matter of acquiring land belonging to the Mining properties on account of the Kolar Gold Fields Railway, forwarding for information, an extract from para 8 of the 48th (monthly) meeting of the Kolar Gold Fields Mining Board held on the 28th January 1892, relating to the subject.
15	28	12	Agent, S. I. Ry. Co.	Forwarding a list of the surplus stock of the Birur-Shimoga Railway still on hand for sale, and enquiring whether he requires any of them and, if so, at what price.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
16	30	17	Supt., Govt. Printing	Requesting him to have the Revenue and Capital Finance Account of the Mysore State Railways for the year 1899-1900 printed in book form and a dozen copies supplied to this office.
17	31	17	Comptroller ...	Forwarding, as requested, a copy of the statement furnished by the Executive Engineer, Birur-Shimoga Railway, showing the amount due to Kenchahanumaiya, contractor, and the recoveries to be made from him.
18	32	17	Do ...	Requesting him to arrange to place at the Resident's Treasury to the credit of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, a sum of Rs. 60,000 being the contribution to be paid by the Durbar towards the cost of the final location of the Mysore and West Coast Railway Surveys, and to intimate to this office the date of remittance.
19	40	19	Dy. Comr., Mysore., thro' Secy., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Inviting attention to letter No. 1062, dated 20th ultimo, regarding the land required for temporary diversion for doubling the 5·24 feet arch bridge at mile 270—11 on the old Mysore State Railway, and requesting an early reply thereto.
20	41	19	Comptroller ...	Forwarding for necessary adjustment, a refund bill for Rs. 1,170-11-10, being the unspent balance of the amount deposited by the Durbar with the Southern Mahratta Railway Company for carrying out certain improvements in the Station yard at Maklidrug on the Bangalore-Hindupur Railway duly accepted by that Company.
21	42	21	Do ...	Forwarding a bill for Rs. 2,400-2-9, duly countersigned, being the cost incurred in laying new pipes for supply of water at certain stations on the Kolar Gold Fields Railway; and requesting him to arrange to remit the said amount into the Resident's Treasury to the credit of the Madras Railway Company.
22	43	21	First Asst. to Resdt.	In the matter of the formal resumption by the Durbar from the Southern Mahratta Railway Company of land required for Police quarters at Mayakonda Railway Station, stating that as the buildings have already been built on the land in question it now remains for the Company to correct their land plans.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
23	45	21	Examr., P. W. & Ry. Accts.	Requesting to debit to the estimate for enlargement of Police quarters at the Mayakonda Railway Station on the Mysore State Railway (Public Works Department work) a sum of Rs. 1-3-2, being the value of land resumed from the Mysore State Railway for the purpose; and stating that the Comptroller will be asked to afford the necessary credit.
24	46	21	Suptg. Engr., E. C.	Forwarding a copy of the above for information with reference to his No. 4519, dated 27th November 1900.
25	47	21	Comptroller ...	Forwarding copies of the foregoing for taking necessary action.
26	48	21	First Asst. to Resdt.	Informing that the Comptroller of Mysore has been asked to credit the above amount to the Capital Account of the Mysore State Railway.
27	49	21	Comptroller ...	In supersession of this office No. 32, dated 12th instant, asking to place Rs. 60,000 in the Resident's Treasury at the credit of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, being the contribution payable by the Durbar towards the cost of the location surveys of the Mysore and West Coast Railway, requesting him to arrange to pay at once Rs. 20,000 and Rs. 20,000 in February and Rs. 20,000 in March, respectively, intimating to this office the dates of remittances.
28	44	21	Secy., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Requesting an early reply to letter No. 1061, dated 21st ultimo, asking for certain correspondence that has taken place between the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore district, and the District Engineer, Southern Mahratta Railway, regarding the land required for a 5·40 feet girder bridge at mile 251—10 on the Mysore State Railway.
29	54	22	Dy. Comr., Bangalore	Requesting an early reply to this office No. 1033 of 14th December last, regarding the acquisition of land required by the Madras Railway Company for station purposes at the Bangalore City Station.
30	55	22	Secy., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Do, No. 1051, of 18th December last, regarding the acquisition of land required for the Shimoga Station yard.

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	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
31	58	28	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Intimating that the land required for Station purposes at the Bangalore City Station, was handed over to Mr. Armstead, Permanent Way Inspector of the Madras Railway Company, on the 9th instant.
32	59	28	Do ..	Requesting him to consider the request contained in this office letter No. 785 of 10th September last, regarding the proposed grant for cultivation of Survey No. 4 of the Guladahalli village, Bangalore taluk, as cancelled.
33	60	28	Do ...	Requesting him to move the Agent, Southern Mahratta Railway Company, to arrange for the stoppage of the mail trains running between Bangalore and Poona for a few minutes at the Hosdurga Road Station.

OFFICE OF THE SECY. FOR RAILWAYS,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, COL.
Secy. to Govt. for Railways.

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GEOLOGICAL

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR JANUARY 1901.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
1	230-M. / F. 100	4	Dt. Magte., Kolar.	Forwarding an application from Mr. C. B. Bennetts, Agent of the Nobel's Explosives Co., Limited, Ooregum, for a license to sell explosives and requesting that the license may be granted in the prescribed form. Also forwarding a license to possess explosives under Rule 18 of the Mysore Explosives Rules, with a request that it may be delivered to Mr. Bennetts with the license to sell explosives.
2	231-M. / F. 100	4	Mr. C. B. Bennetts, Agent, Nobel's Explosives Co., Ld., Ooregum.	Informing him that a license to possess explosives has been forwarded to the District Magistrate of Kolar and stating that a recommendation has been made to the District Magistrate that a license to sell explosives may be granted to him.
3	179-G. / F. 9	4	Consvr. of Forests ..	Forwarding, for favorable consideration, an application from Mr. K. Lee, Mining Assistant, for employment in the Forest Department.
4	181-G. / F. 139	5	Comptroller ...	Directing that the pay of Mr. H. K. Slater, Assistant Geologist, Geological Department, be disbursed to him at 1*s*—6*d*. per rupee during the period of his deputation to Europe sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 167-8—F. 139, dated 18th December 1900, and that his salary for the month of January 1901 be paid to him in advance prior to his departure from Bangalore.
5	232-M. / F. 88	5	Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Forwarding letter No. 2337—394, dated 21st December 1900, from the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, regarding the right claimed by the Jodidar of Dodderi to collect corundum on his Jodi lands, and requesting to be informed whether such claim is valid and whether the general question, whether the Inamdars are entitled to items other than the land revenue, has been definitely settled.

Serial No.	Proceedings. No.	Date.	To whom sent.	Subject and Order.
6	233 M. / M. F. 6-86	5	Dy. Comr., Shimoga.	Requesting him to report, for the information of Government, whether a notice has been served on the Agent of the Shimoga-Mysore Syndicate as directed in Government Proceedings No. 105-M.—1900-1901, dated 25th August 1900, and with what result, and also the time allowed in the notice for the party to pay up the arrears of assessment due on the lands leased to them for mining purposes.
7	234-M. / 1900-1901	5	Compl., *Mysore Gaz.*	Forwarding, for publication in three successive issues of the *Gazette*, a Notification, publishing a draft of certain amendments and additions proposed to be made in the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulation, II of 1888, and stating that objections and suggestions in respect of the proposed amendments and additions will be duly considered if submitted to Government in the Geological Department on or before the 15th of February 1901.
8	183-G. / F. 14	7	Vice-Presdt, City Munl. Comn., Bangalore.	Informing him that, for reason stated, it is not possible to spare the services of a clerk from this office for Census work.
9	246-M. / F. 141	5 / 16	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Acknowledging receipt of certain letters, forwarding for the consideration of the Durbar circulars from the Government of India, relating to certain of their Explosives Rules; and forwarding, with certain observations, a copy of the Durbar's Notification No. 234-M.—1900-1901, dated 5th January 1901, publishing drafts of certain amendments proposed to be made in the Mysore Explosives Rules.
10	247-M. / F. 141	5 / 16	Do	Communicating certain observations on his letter No. 5412—441-85, dated 19th October 1900, about the appointments of Inspectors of Explosives and certain amendments of the Explosives Rules.
11	186-G. / F. 21	9	Secy., Gen. & Rev. Depts.	Forwarding a list of Europeans and East Indians in service in this Department on the 1st of January 1901.
12	248-M. / F. 127	15 / 18	Dt. Magte., Bangalore.	Forwarding a license to possess certain explosives to be confirmed by him in accordance with Rule 18 (2) *f*, of the Mysore Explosives Rules and issued to the Agent of Messrs. Parry & Co., Agents for the Carbonite Syndicate, Ld.; and informing him that the license for detonators and fuze should be granted by him in Form D appended to the Mysore Explosives Rules.

Serial No.	Proceedings.			Subject and Order.
	No.	Date.	To whom sent.	
13	249-M. / F. 143	15	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Acknowledging receipt of his letter No. 42—105-97, dated 3rd January 1901, and informing him that there has not been any fresh development in the case of Miss Anstey's application for a mining lease and that the more recent order of Government on the subject is that of the 3rd September 1900, in reply to Miss Anstey's petition to Her Highness the Maharani-Regent, which states that the Government are not now prepared to re-open the question which has already been finally disposed of. Also stating that the Durbar are not aware of having expressed any intention in regard to any surface rights Miss Anstey may possess in the Bodamabasihalli jodi lands.
14	195-G. / F. No. 22	18	Supt., Govt. Printing	Requesting that 1,000 copies of Mining Accident Report Forms, as per sample forwarded, may be printed and supplied to this office at an early date.
15	196 G. / F. No. 11	18	Comptroller ...	Sanctioning the travelling allowance claimed by Mr. V. S. Sambasiva Iyer, Officiating Third State Geologist, for his journeys beyond the Mysore Province (*viz.*, to Gersoppa Falls) during the month of December 1900.
16	250-M. / F. No. 116	18	Dy. Comr., Kolar.	Informing him that Mr. Abdul Raheem, contractor, Bowringpet, has, pending the disposal of his application for a license to prospect for corundum on Government waste lands in certain villages of the Kamasandra hobli, Bowringpet taluk, been granted permission to carry on, on certain conditions, preliminary prospecting operations on those lands.
17	251-M. / F. No. 116	18	Mr. M. Abdul Raheem, contractor, Bowringpet.	Forwarding a copy of the above for his information and guidance.
18	199-G. / F. No. 22	28	Supt., Govt. Printing	Forwarding a sample of Form No. G. of application for a license for a magazine for specified explosives and of Schedule A. to be attached to license Form E. under the Mysore Explosives Rules, and requesting that 200 copies of each may be struck off and supplied to this office.
19	200-G. / F. No. 21	22 / 29	Comptroller ...	Sanctioning, as a special case, the charge claimed by Mr. V. S. Sambasiva Iyer, B. Sc., L. C. E., Officiating Third State Geologist, for taking a tonga by rail from Bangalore to Holalkere in November 1900, and for bringing it back from his last camp on the occasion of his return to Bangalore.

Serial No.	Proceedings. No.	Date.	To whom sent.	Subject and Order.
20	360-M. / F. No. 81	30	First Asst. to the Hon'ble the Resdt.	Acknowledging receipt of his letter No. 389—119-95, dated 23rd January 1901, and informing him that the report of the Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore, for the year 1899, has been ready for issue for the past three or four months with the exception of a map which the Government of India Survey Department have in hand and that it cannot issue until the map is received and inserted.
21	261-M. / F. No. 111	30	Do ...	Forwarding a statement showing the quantity and approximate value of bar gold produced in the several Mines in Mysore, during the month of December 1900.
22	262-M. / F. No. 100	29 / 31	Supt., Champion Reef Gold Mining Co.	Requesting submission of an application on a stamped paper of the value of Rs. 201, for a license to possess specified explosives under Rule 18 of the Mysore Explosives Rules.
23	263-M. / F. No. 100	29 / 31	Supt., Mysore Gold Mining Co.	Forwarding a license to possess specified explosives under the Mysore Explosives Rules, and stating that the license expires on the 31st December 1901; also communicating certain observations regarding the construction of cooly huts surrounding the explosives magazine.
24	202-M. / F. No. 22	31	Supt., Govt. Printing.	Forwarding issues of the *Mysore Gazette* from July to December 1900, and requesting that they may be bound into two volumes as per instructions communicated and returned to this office.

OFFICE OF THE SECY., GEOL. DEPT.,
Bangalore, 31st January 1901.

W. F. SMEETH,
Secy. to Govt., Geol. Dept.

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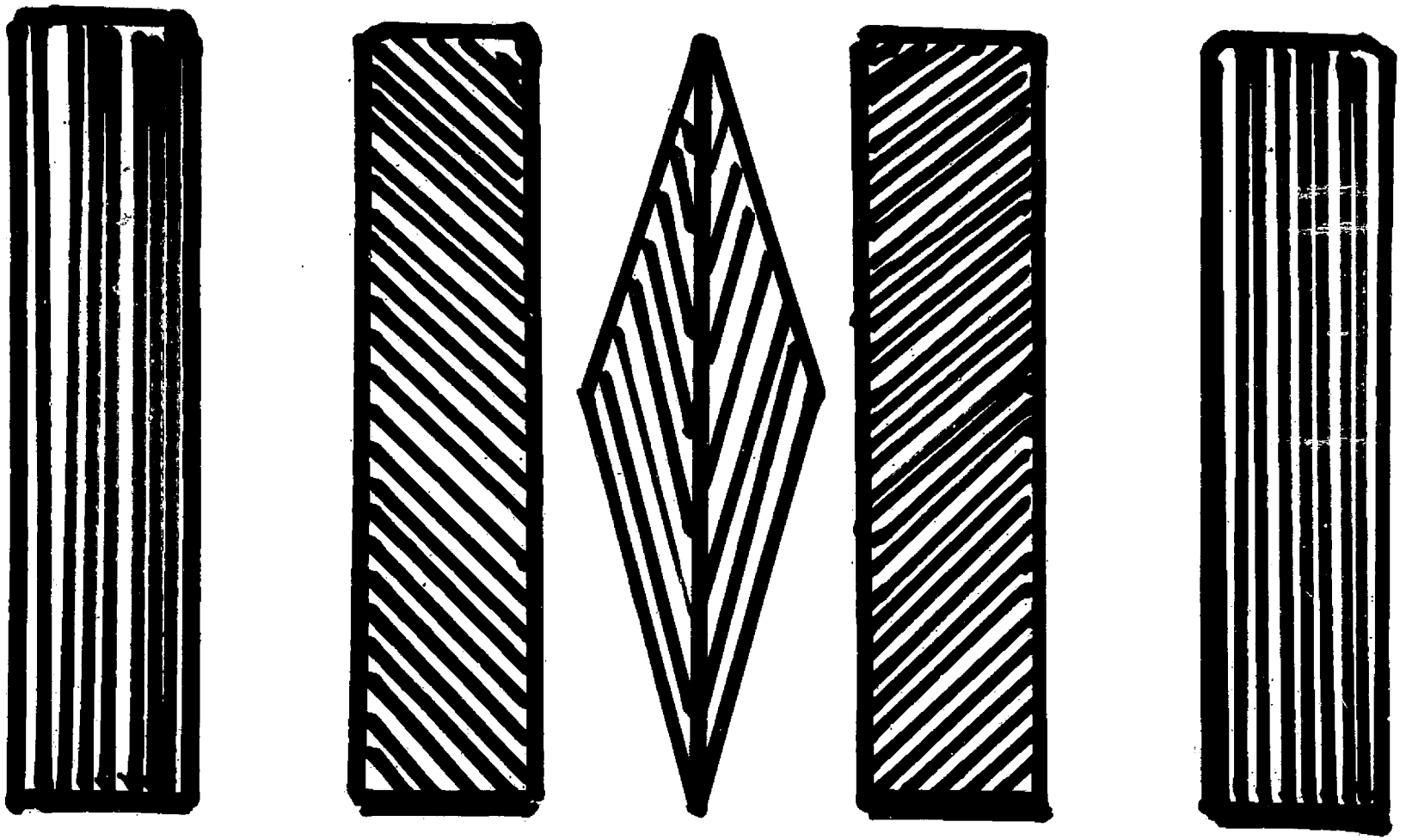
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